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SOFTWARE DEVELOPER'S E-FILE
SPECIFICATIONS

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### **WHAT'S NEW FOR TAX YEAR 2005**

This is a complete list of changes for tax year 2005.

NEBRASKA STANDARD DEDUCTION CHANGES: For 2005, the additional standard deduction for elderly/blind will \$1000 for married joint and married separate, and \$1210 for single and head of household. Here is a table of possible standard deduction values. Be sure to see Appendix G for detailed information about calculating the Nebraska Standard Deduction.

| File        | Description  | Amount   |
|-------------|--|----------|
| Status<br>1 | Single   | \$4,980  |
| 1           | Single and 65 or older   | \$6,190  |
| 1           | Single and blind   | \$6,190  |
| 1           | Single and 65 or older and blind                                   | \$7,400  |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint   | \$8,320  |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and one spouse 65 or older                    | \$9,320  |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and one spouse blind                          | \$9,320  |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and one spouse 65 or older and blind          | \$10,320 |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and both spouses 65 or older                  | \$10,320 |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and both spouses blind                        | \$10,320 |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and one spouse 65 or older and both blind     | \$11,320 |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and both spouses 65 or older and one blind    | \$11,320 |
| 2           | Married Filing Joint and both spouses 65 or older and blind        | \$12,320 |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate  | \$4,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and one spouse 65 or older                 | \$5,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and one spouse blind                       | \$5,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and one spouse 65 or older and blind       | \$6,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and both spouses 65 or older               | \$6,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and both spouses blind                     | \$6,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and one spouse 65 or older and both blind  | \$7,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and both spouses 65 or older and one blind | \$7,160  |
| 3           | Married Filing Separate and both spouses 65 or older and blind     | \$8,160  |
| 4           | Head of Household  | \$7,300  |
| 4           | Head of Household 65 or older                                      | \$8,510  |
| 4           | Head of Household blind  | \$8,510  |
| 4           | Head of Household 65 or older and blind                            | \$9,720  |
| 5           | Widow(er) with Dependent Children                                  | \$8,320  |
| 5           | Widow(er) with Dependent Children and 65 or older                  | \$9,320  |
| 5           | Widow(er) with Dependent Children and blind                        | \$9,320  |
| 5           | Widow(er) with Dependent Children 65 or older and blind            | \$10,320 |
|             | NOTE: If Married Filing Separately, the additional amounts for     |          |
|             | over 65 and blind apply only if the primary can claim an           |          |
|             | exemption for their spouse.  |          |

- **REMOVE FORM 4136N**: Form 4136N, Nebraska Non-highway Use Motor Vehicle Fuels Credit Computation, is no longer used to obtain non-highway motor fuels credit. Instead, a direct refund is claimed through filing a Nebraska Motor Fuels Tax Refund Claim, Form 84. As a result, this form is being removed from income tax processing and eliminated from these specifications.
- REMOVE LINE 30 FORM 4136N CREDIT: In addition to removing all references to Form 4136N from these specifications, 1040N Line 30 will no longer be used to report this credit.

- ADD LINE 30 FORM 3800N REFUNDABLE CREDIT: The LB 608 refundable credit will no longer be reported on the same line as the Beginning Farmer credit line. The LB 608 credit will now be reported in Line 30. On a related topic, Line 23 has been renamed to Form 3800N Nonrefundable Credit. Neither Line 23 nor Line 30 is eligible for e-file.
- ADD NEW LINE; BONUS DEPRECIATION RECOVERY ON NEBRASKA SCHEDULE I: If the
  taxpayer previously reported 85 percent of any federal special bonus depreciation to Nebraska
  for tax year 2001 and/or 2002, you can subtract 20 percent of the total bonus depreciation added
  back in those years for tax year 2005. This value will be reported on a new line (Line 52) on
  Nebraska Schedule I.
- NEW CHILD CARE CREDIT FIELDS REQUIRED IN THE GENERIC RECORD: In an effort to prevent abuse of this refundable credit, the department will require additional information about the care provider and the qualified persons. This data is in addition to the data currently being collected in the Nebraska Child Care Credit Worksheet in the Generic Record. The department will support a maximum of 5 occurrences of provider information and 5 occurrences of qualified person information. If the taxpayer needs to report additional providers or persons, the return will have to be filed as a paper return. Additionally, to enforce the rules associated with reporting this data, new Reject Codes will be created to require that this information be present when this refundable credit is claimed.
- **DECEASED TAXPAYERS**: A surviving spouse will be allowed to e-file a joint return to claim a refund. A Reject Code will be added to the e-file system to ensure that for returns with a date of death present; the Filing Status must equal **2** (Married Filing Joint), the return must be a refund return, only one date (either Primary or Spouse) is present, and this date must equal the current tax year or the current tax year plus 1. These returns can be e-filed by a surviving spouse (not a personal representative) in order to claim a refund for a deceased spouse. Returns requiring a Death Certificate or a Nebraska Form 1310N cannot be e-filed.
- **HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT CODE CHANGES**: The following changes have been announced for tax year 2005 High School District Codes:

| RESIDENT<br>COUNTY | TYPE OF CHANGE   |
|--------------------|--|
| Chase              | Delete Chase County High 15 (1515015)                              |
|                    | Add Chase County Schools 10 (1515010)                              |
|                    | Delete Grant 1 (1568001)   |
|                    | Delete Wheatland 112 (1568112)                                     |
|                    | Add Perkins County Schools 20 (1568020)                            |
| Cherry             | Delete Gordon High 4 (1681004)                                     |
|                    | Add Gordon-Rushville High 10 (1681010)                             |
| Douglas            | Delete Valley 33 (2828033)   |
|                    | Delete Waterloo 11 (2828011)                                       |
|                    | Add Douglas County West Community 15 (2828015)                     |
| Dundy              | Delete Chase County High 15 (2915015)                              |
|                    | Add Chase County Schools 10 (2915010)                              |
| Frontier           | Change Republican/Twin Valley 179 to Southwest 179 (still 3273179) |
| Furnas             | Change Republican/Twin Valley 179 to Southwest 179 (still 3373179) |
| Keith              | Delete Grant 1 (5168001)   |
|                    | Delete Wheatland 112 (5168112)                                     |
|                    | Add Perkins County Schools 20 (5168020)                            |
| Lincoln            | Delete Wheatland 112 (5668112)                                     |
|                    | Add Perkins County Schools 20 (5668020)                            |
| Nuckolls           | Delete Guide Rock R1 (6591501)                                     |
| Perkins            | Delete Grant 1 (6868001)   |

|            | Delete Wheatland 112 (6868112)                                     |  |  |  |  |  |
|------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|            | Add Perkins County Schools 20 (6868020)                            |  |  |  |  |  |
| Polk       | Change Stromsburg-Benedict 15 to Cross County 15 (still 7272015)   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Red Willow | Change Republican/Twin Valley 179 to Southwest 179 (still 7373179) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sheridan   | Delete Gordon High 4 (8181004)                                     |  |  |  |  |  |
|            | Delete Rushville High 6 (8181006)                                  |  |  |  |  |  |
|            | Add Gordon-Rushville High 10 (8181010)                             |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thurston   | Change Macy 16 to Umo N Ho Nation Sch. 16 (still 8787016)          |  |  |  |  |  |
| Webster    | Delete Guide Rock R1 (9191501)                                     |  |  |  |  |  |
| York       | Change Stromsburg-Benedict 15 to Cross County 15 (still 9372015)   |  |  |  |  |  |

- PERSONAL EXEMPTION CREDIT CHANGE: The Nebraska Personal Exemption Credit (Form 1040N Line 19) for 2005 will be \$103 (up from \$101 per exemption from tax year 2004). The phase out threshold for computing this credit is also changed. See the 2005 Nebraska Personal Exemption Credit table, located in Appendix G, Miscellaneous Tables document, for credit phase out values.
- NEBRASKA SCHEDULE II EDIT REJECT CHANGES: Edits for Nebraska Schedule II have resulted in a high incidence of rejects that could be avoided with some minor changes. Reject Code 0407 (A Nebraska Schedule II was entered, but the postal abbreviation indicating the other state, was invalid or missing) will no longer be issued unless all lines on the Schedule II are present. Reject Code 0408 (A Nebraska Schedule II was entered, but has lines missing) will not be issued unless a value exists in 1040N Line 20 and the Credit For Prior Year Minimum Tax Indicator is '0'.
- REMINDER TO DEVELOPERS: The department is requesting developers to better inform their customers that; (1) Nebraska does not require Form 8453N sent to the Department. (We understand that some software gives taxpayers a message indicating this form is to be mailed). The only exceptions are when the return is that of the ERO, or VITA and TCE sites; and (2) Nebraska does not require Electronic Return Originators to provide their federal Form 8633 or otherwise register with Nebraska.

### **SECTION 1**

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

#### 1.1 INTRODUCTION

This document is the software developer specifications for those developers supporting the State of Nebraska in the tax year 2005 Federal/State Electronic Filing program. We extend our thanks to all developers participating in this program.

#### 1.2 NEBRASKA PUBLICATIONS

These specifications define the Nebraska Department of Revenue generic and unformatted record formats, and related information used in the Federal/State Electronic Filing Program. This publication supplements, but does not replace the requirements and procedures specified by IRS Publications 1345 and 1346.

In some parts of this document, you are instructed to refer to our tax booklet instructions for further details. This is because the information included in these specifications cannot possibly provide all the various tax booklet instructions and tax law details necessary in the preparation of the Nebraska return. If you need information beyond what is provided in this document or you need further details, locate our tax booklet instructions on our Web site under "Tax Forms", and then under "Current Forms". You may obtain preliminary drafts of our tax booklet by contacting our Forms Design manager at 402-471-5637.

Additionally, this document provides an e-mail address for contacting the department's legal staff for further tax law explanations, when needed (see Section 2, Nebraska Contact Personnel). In addition to these specifications, the department provides access to various related tables, files, and printed information, some of which are Appendices to these specifications.

Related forms, tables, text files and other publications noted below are posted on our Software Developer's Web page at http://www.revenue.state.ne.us/electron/develop.htm. Web site files and publications are normally in PDF, MS Word, or text format. These include:

- Publication 1346N for tax year 2005 (file specifications this document)
- Nebraska 2005 Reject Codes
- Miscellaneous Tables for tax year 2005
- Publication 1436N for tax year 2005 (test package) Also available as hard copy by request - (Not available until October/November, 2005)
- Nebraska 2005 Public High School District Code table
- Nebraska 2005 Tax Table
- Publication 1345N for tax year 2005 Handbook for Electronic Filers) Also available as hard copy by request - (Not available until October, 2005)
- Form 8453N (Nebraska signature document not used with Online software)
- Form 1040N-V (Nebraska payment voucher)

Note: Some of these documents may actually be available earlier than anticipated. Check our Software Developer's Web page for these updates or contact us.

#### 1.3 FEATURES, FORMS AND SCHEDULES SUPPORTED

These features, forms, worksheets, and schedules are supported in this program:

- Form 1040NS (short form),
- 1040N (long form) with or without Schedule I, (Adjustments to Income, Nebraska Schedule II, (Credit For Tax Paid To Another State), and Nebraska Schedule III, (Computation of Nebraska Tax for Nonresidents and Partial-year Residents Only);
- Nebraska Minimum or Other Tax Worksheet,
- Nebraska Refundable Child Care Worksheet:
- Refund, balance due and zero returns;
- First time Nebraska filers;
- Resident, Part Year Resident, and Non-resident returns;
- Refund direct deposit and balance due electronic funds withdrawal:
- Filing through the end of the Federal Extension;
- Completely paperless returns prepared and submitted through approved home PC and Online software.

#### 1.4 EXCLUSIONS FROM THE NEBRASKA E-FILE PROGRAM

Nebraska forms not accepted electronically:

Form 1040XN Amended Nebraska Individual Income Tax Return Form 4797N Special Capital Gains Election and Computation

Form CDN Nebraska Community Development Assistance Act Credit

Computation

Form NOL Nebraska Net Operating Loss Worksheet
Form 1310N Nebraska Refund for Deceased Taxpayers

Form 3800N Nebraska Employment and Investment Credit Computation

Form 829N Nebraska Quality Jobs Act Credit

Form 14N Statement of Nebraska Income Tax Withheld For Nonresidents

Nebraska 1040N and Schedule Lines <u>not</u> accepted electronically include:

1040N Line 22 CDAA Credit

1040N Line 23 Form 3800N Nonrefundable Credit

1040N Line 24 Form 829N Credit

1040N Line 30Form 3800N Refundable Credit1040N Line 32Beginning Farmer CreditSchedule I, Line 50Special Capital Gains Election

Types of returns <u>not</u> accepted electronically this year include:

Any returns prior to tax year 2005

Non calendar-year returns

Decedent tax returns requiring a Death Certificate or filing of Form 1310N

#### 1.5 FILING GUIDELINES

**SIGNATURE ALTERNATIVES:** For practitioner-ERO originated returns, Nebraska's policy is that the ERO must retain an originally signed Nebraska Form 8453N for a period of 3 years. For online returns, no PIN is required **and no Form 8453N is required**.

**EXTENSIONS TO FILE:** The department grants automatic extensions for practitioner originated returns. Online filers are required to file a paper extension request. The extension will be granted for a period of days to match the federal extension.

#### 1.6 NEBRASKA PROGRAM DATA SHEET

| STATE   | ELECTRONIC FILING CALENDAR -   | Tax Yea  | ar 2005   |  |  |          |
|---------|--|----------|---|--|--|----------|
|         | Begin Federal & State Software Tes   | Same a   | as IRS  |  |  |          |
|         | Deadline for submitting Program Ap   |          |   |  |  |          |
|         | Deadline for Submitting Initial PATS   | None     |   |  |  |          |
|         | Electronic Return Acceptance Perio   |          | IRS Sta   |  | <u>u 10/17/2005</u>  |          |
| STATE   | CONTACTS   |          |   |  |  |          |
|         | Program Area   |          | Contact   |  | <u>ione Fax</u>  |          |
|         | File Specs & Record Layout   |          | Larry Chapman   | 40                                     | 2-471-5619 402-471-5608  |          |
|         | PATS Testing   |          | Brian Catlin  |  | 2-471-5785 402-471-5608  |          |
|         | Other Program Areas  |          | E-Commerce He   |  |  |          |
|         | Forms and Tax Booklet  |          | Marilyn Borcher   | t 40                                   | 2-471-5642 402-471-5608  |          |
| ACKNO   | WLEDGMENT SYSTEM USED  |          |   | IRS                                    |  |          |
| STATE   | PATS TESTING   |          |   |  |  |          |
|         | State PATS Testing Required  |          |   | Yes                                    |  |          |
|         | State Test Returns Based on Federa   | al Scena | rios  | Yes (r                                 | not all)   |          |
|         | Number of Scenarios  |          |   | 7-10                                   |  |          |
| ELECT   | RONIC RECORD SPECIFICATIONS  |          |   |  |  |          |
|         | Unformatted Record Used  |          |   | Yes (f                                 | ederal forms only-all federa   | l forms) |
|         | State Forms Included In Program  |          |   |  | l (long), 1040NS (short), Sc   | hed I,   |
|         |  |          |   |  | d. II, Sched III   |          |
|         | Federal Forms/Sched Required   |          |   | All                                    | A 1 D 1 1001 1   |          |
|         |  |          |   |  |  |          |
|         | State Standards Adopted  | Name     | Yes, Addres   | s <u>Yes</u>                           | Ack Record 120 byte  |          |
| ELECTI  |  |          |   | s <u>Yes</u><br>                       | Ack Record 120 byte Release  |          |
|         | State Standards Adopted<br>RONIC FILING PROGRAM PUBLICA<br>m/Publication   |          |   | <del></del>                            |  |          |
|         | RONIC FILING PROGRAM PUBLICA   |          | <br>& FORMS   | <del></del>                            | Release<br>Date  |          |
|         | RONIC FILING PROGRAM PUBLICA<br>m/Publication  | TIONS 8  | & FORMS State Equivalent  | <del></del>                            | Release  |          |
|         | RONIC FILING PROGRAM PUBLICA<br>m/Publication<br>Pub 1345 Handbook for Elec.Filers   | TIONS 8  | & FORMS State Equivalent 1345N  | <del></del>                            | Release <u>Date</u> 11/15/2005 (approx.)   |          |
|         | RONIC FILING PROGRAM PUBLICA<br>m/Publication<br>Pub 1345 Handbook for Elec.Filers<br>Pub 1346 File Specs/Record Layout  | TIONS 8  | State Equivalent<br>1345N<br>1346N  | t                                      | Release <u>Date</u> 11/15/2005 (approx.) 11/01/2005 (final) 11/01/2005   |          |
|         | RONIC FILING PROGRAM PUBLICA<br>m/Publication<br>Pub 1345 Handbook for Elec.Filers<br>Pub 1346 File Specs/Record Layout<br>Pub 1436 Test Package   | TIONS 8  | FORMS State Equivalent 1345N 1346N 1436N Nebraska School  | t<br>bl Codes<br>able                  | Release <u>Date</u> 11/15/2005 (approx.) 11/01/2005 (final) 11/01/2005   |          |
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## SECTION 2 NEBRASKA CONTACT PERSONNEL

These e-mail addresses are for developer contacts only. This information should not be provided to taxpayers unless approved by the department.

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#### NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE SOFTWARE DEVELOPERS PAGE

http://www.revenue.ne.gov/electron/develop.htm

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## SECTION 3 ACKNOWLEDGMENT SYSTEM

#### 3.1 OVERVIEW

- Nebraska employs Reject Codes for a limited number of errors.
- Nebraska Reject Codes are different than those used by the IRS.
- Reject Codes are provided through a separate document posted along with these specifications.
- In the event that a Nebraska return is received and fails edit checks after acceptance, if needed, the department will contact the ERO/taxpayer to obtain the corrected information.
- Transmitters should contact the department only if the state acknowledgment file has not been made available within five business days after the federal and state returns have been transmitted.

#### 3.2 NOTIFICATION CODES

Nebraska issues two types of Notification Codes:

"A" = Accepted

"R" = Rejected

The "A" Acceptance acknowledgment indicates that the department has received the return and it has passed the E-filing program's initial edits. It does not indicate that the return has been completely processed. After E-filed returns have been initially edited and the "A" Acceptance acknowledgment is sent, returns are further edited in the state's mainframe processing systems for other error conditions that could delay processing of the return. An Acceptance acknowledgment does not ensure that the refund will be paid as requested.

The "R" Rejection acknowledgment indicates that the entire return has been rejected. The return must be corrected and re-transmitted as a State-Only return, or filed on paper. Each Rejection acknowledgment will include one or more ACKR records identifying error conditions. If a return is rejected by the IRS and later re-transmitted, any corrections made to the federal return must be carried over into the state return.

#### 3.3 REJECT CODES

Nebraska Reject Codes are designed to ensure that the return contains all necessary forms, schedules, and worksheets, that they are complete, and that there are no other structural errors in the return or its individual fields as defined in the Generic Record layout. The department posts the Nebraska Reject Codes document on the Developer Page of our Web site, and this document is e-mailed to participating developers.

#### 3.4 CONVERSION TO PAPER

If it becomes necessary to mail in an electronic return that has been rejected and not resubmitted as State Only, the procedure to follow is:

- 1. Correct the portion of the return that has been indicated as in error.
- 2. Attach the original Form 8453N (including all withholding documents) to the back of the return
- 3. Attach all necessary state and federal forms, schedules, and any other documentation needed to substantiate the Nebraska return.
- 6. Mail all to:

Nebraska Department of Revenue c/o Post Processing Section P. O. Box 98903 Lincoln, NE 68509-8903

#### 3.5 BANKING REQUEST ERRORS

Nebraska supports direct deposit for refunds and electronic funds withdrawal (EFW) for tax payments. Incorrect or incomplete banking information will cause these banking requests to be denied.

If it is a direct deposit and the banking information is invalid (e.g. bad RTN, missing Account Number) we automatically convert it to a paper refund check. We do not contact taxpayers for this type of error, however an explanation is printed on the taxpayer's refund check.

If the requested banking function is an EFW and the banking information is invalid, we send a letter to the taxpayer explaining in detail the problem, providing them with a Payment Voucher, and reminding them to pay. There are a number of conditions that could cause an EFW to fail, and this is explained in the letter. These include:

- The debit amount must be present, greater than zero, and cannot exceed a tolerance of 15% above the amount owed.
- The debit date must be present and a valid date.
- The account number must be present.
- The routing number must be present and a valid RTN.
- An EFW cannot be requested for a zero balance or refund return

NOTE: When determining if the debit date is valid, if this date is less (older) than current date, and the current date minus the Debit Date is greater than 7 days, we consider it to be too old to process and therefore invalid.

## **SECTION 4**SOFTWARE TESTING

#### 4.1 TESTING OVERVIEW

Nebraska requires all software developers offering Nebraska electronic filing to test with the Department. Returns received without a valid Software License Number will be rejected.

#### 4.2 TESTING PROCEDURES

- Before transmitting your first test returns, you must complete and submit the Nebraska Software Developer Information Sheet. This is available for download on the Software Developer page (see contacts), and it will be directly e-mailed to all current approved developers. You can request that it be faxed to you by calling the department at 402-471-5785. Complete this form and fax to the department at 402-471-5608, attention "E-Commerce Section" prior to beginning testing. When the department receives this form, we will provide you with a Software ID Number that must always be present in both test and production returns. The contact you list on the form will be called and provided with this Software ID. This is your notification that you can begin testing.
- Publication 1436N, Nebraska Test Package is available on our Web site. It will be e-mailed to all
  current approved developers and to the NACTP listserv. A hard copy of the test package can be
  requested by e-mailing the Testing Coordinator at this address: Brian.Catlin@rev.ne.gov.
- The primary testing period for each processing year will begin with the start of federal testing, and conclude with the start of live transmissions. Testing before or after primary testing period is allowed, but must be scheduled with the department. The department will allow testing prior to completion of federal testing.
- If a developer offers more than one type of product (e.g. Practitioner and Online), these will be assigned separate testing Software ID Numbers, and must be tested separately.
- One test scenario will be identified for purposes of testing State-only filing. If you do not support State-only filing, this return should be transmitted as a regular Fed/State return.

#### 4.3 TEST RESULTS AND SOFTWARE APPROVAL

- When testing is conducted, generic and unformatted test records received will be compared to expected results.
- All detected errors will be noted and results of the compares will be provided to the developer in a
  formatted report. The Department will provide test results to developers by e-mail or fax, normally
  within one working day of retrieval of test files from the IRS Service Center.
- When testing is conducted, Generic test records will be tested first. When all Generic state records pass testing, their associated federal Unformatted records will be reviewed.
- After both record sets are approved, you will be provided with a Nebraska Software Developer Agreement that contains your production Software ID. **Make certain your production Software ID is present in all production returns.**
- Any changes to developer software after state approval requires re-testing with the Department.

## **SECTION 5**GENERAL FILE FORMAT INFORMATION

#### 5.1 FILE CONTENTS AND FORMATS

- Nebraska uses the Generic Record to capture the Nebraska return and, if present, Nebraska Schedules and other state forms. All allowed Nebraska forms are contained within the Generic record.
- No state forms or schedules are contained in the Unformatted records. Nebraska uses the
  Unformatted record(s) to capture a copy of the federal return, federal forms and schedules, and all
  withholding documentation.
- Nebraska uses the standard 120-byte state Acknowledgment Record format.

#### 5.2 FIELD FORMATS

The record field definitions that follow include these requirement indicators.

Always Required Fields shown as Always Required must always contain non-blank,

significant data.

Required Fields shown as Required must contain non-blank, significant data

except when the field must be blank as noted in the edits/definition

column.

Optional Fields shown as Optional contain non-blank, significant data only

when the preparation of the return calls for use of the field.

Not Used Fields shown as Not Used must always contain blanks unless

otherwise specified.

Electronic banking fields are not listed as required but, if used, all necessary data must be valid and complete. If these fields are missing or invalid, the requested banking function will be denied.

All money fields (Numeric Fields) are 12 characters, 11 numeric followed by negative sign (-) if a negative entry. If positive entry, the last position must be blank. No dollar signs, commas, periods or other non-numeric characters should be inserted into any numeric field.

#### 5.3 MODIFICATIONS FROM LAST VERSION

Changes to detail specifications from the last release are indicated with an asterisk notation of either NEW or CHG (change) in the Sequence Number column. Line number references that have changed are not noted in this manner, however, are shown in bold text.

# SECTION 6 APPENDICES

This section defines the Nebraska formats for the Nebraska Acknowledgment file records, and Nebraska Generic records and Unformatted records. The Generic record layouts show columns for IRS Sequence Number, field name, form line number, field length, allowable characters, field definitions and edits. (Appendices B and C).

### **APPENDIX A**

#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE RECORD LAYOUTS**

NOTE: Nebraska uses the 120-byte acknowledgement format posted on the IRS system.

This section describes the Acknowledgment file structure and record formats. The following diagram shows the order of a typical state acknowledgment file. In this example, there are two transmitters. The first transmitter had two accepted returns. The second transmitter had one accepted return and two rejected returns. One of the rejected returns had one Reject Code issued and the other rejected return had two Reject Codes issued. Each ACK KEY record rejected can have as many as 96 ACKR records, each containing a single Reject Code.

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OUTER ENVELOPE TRANA RECORD (defines state info)
    OUTER ENVELOPE TRANB RECORD (defines state info)
            INNER ENVELOPE TRANA RECORD (defines transmitter # 1 info)
            INNER ENVELOPE TRANB RECORD (defines transmitter # 1 info)
                   STATE ACK KEY RECORD (defines taxpayer info - accepted)
                   STATE ACK KEY RECORD (defines taxpayer info - accepted)
                   INNER ENVELOPE RECAP RECORD (summarizes transmitter # 1 totals)
            INNER ENVELOPE TRANA RECORD (defines transmitter # 2 info)
            INNER ENVELOPE TRANB RECORD (defines transmitter # 2 info)
                   STATE ACK KEY RECORD (defines tax return info - accepted)
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                   STATE ACK KEY RECORD (defines tax return info - rejected)
                   STATE ACKR RECORD (defines tax return reject info)
                   STATE ACK KEY RECORD (defines tax return info - rejected)
                   STATE ACKR RECORD (defines tax return reject info)
                   STATE ACKR RECORD (defines tax return reject info)
            INNER ENVELOPE RECAP RECORD (summarizes transmitter # 2 totals)
     OUTER ENVELOPE RECAP RECORD (summarizes state totals)
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#### 6.1 OUTER ENVELOPE TRAN A HEADER RECORD

This file header record contains information about the state (Nebraska) creating this file.

|             | STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE TRANA RECORD (OUTER ENVELOPE) |      |              |  |  |  |
|-------------|---|------|--------------|--|--|--|
| SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | LEN. | DATA<br>TYPE | DEFINTION  |  |  |
| N/A         | BYTE COUNT  | 4    | numeric      | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.                        |  |  |
| N/A         | RECORD SENTINEL   | 4    | Alpha        | Equals '****'  |  |  |
| 0000        | RECORD ID   | 6    | Alpha        | Equals 'TRANA '  |  |  |
| 0010        | TRANSMITTER STATE EIN                                   | 9    | numeric      | Equals 470491233.  |  |  |
| 0020        | TRANSMITTER STATE NAME                                  | 35   | Alpha        | Equals 'Nebraska Department of Revenue ' (left justified)              |  |  |
| 0030        | TRANSMITTER TYPE  | 16   | Alpha        | Blank.   |  |  |
| 0040        | PROCESSING SITE   | 1    | Alpha        | Equals 'E' (Austin)  |  |  |
| 0050        | TRANSMISSION DATE                                       | 8    | numeric      | Equals the date the file is transmitted to the IRS in YYYYMMDD format. |  |  |

| 0060 | TRANSMITTER STATE<br>ETIN (+ USE CODE)     | 7 | numeric | Left justified. Pos. 1 – 5 equals the Nebraska ETIN, 36746. Pos. 6 and 7 (Use Code) will be set to zeros.                        |
|------|--|---|---------|--|
| 0070 | JULIAN DAY                                 | 3 | numeric | Sequential day of the year (001 - 366) for this transmission. This will equal the JULIAN DAY in the Outer Envelope RECAP record. |
| 0800 | TRANSMISSION<br>SEQUENCE FOR<br>JULIAN DAY | 2 | numeric | Sequential number of the transmission being sent for this Julian Day (field 0070). Starts with 01.                               |
| 0090 | ACKNOWLEDGMENT<br>TRANSMISSION<br>FORMAT   | 1 | Alpha   | Equals 'A' (for ASCII).  |
| 0100 | RECORD TYPE                                | 1 | Alpha   | Equals 'F' (for fixed).  |
| 0110 | TRANSMITTER STATE EFIN                     | 6 | Numeric | Zeros.   |
| 0120 | FILLER                                     | 5 | Alpha   | Blank  |
| 0130 | RESERVED                                   | 1 | Alpha   | Blank  |
| 0140 | RESERVED                                   | 1 | Alpha   | Blank  |
| 0150 | RESERVED                                   | 6 | Alpha   | Blank  |
| 0160 | PRODUCTION-TEST CODE                       | 1 | Alpha   | Equals either 'P' (production) or 'T' (test).  |
| 0170 | TRANSMISSION TYPE CODE                     | 1 | Alpha   | Equals 'Z' (State Acknowledgment)  |
| 0180 | RESERVED                                   | 1 | Alpha   | Blank  |
| N/A  | RECORD TERMINUS                            | 1 | Alpha   | Equals '#'   |

#### 6.2 OUTER ENVELOPE TRANB HEADER RECORD

This record is the second part of the file header and contains additional information about the state creating this file.

|             | STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE TRANB RECORD (OUTER ENVELOPE) |      |              |  |  |  |  |
|-------------|---|------|--------------|--|--|--|--|
| SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | LEN. | DATA<br>TYPE | DESCRIPTION  |  |  |  |
| N/A         | BYTE COUNT  | 4    | numeric      | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.                |  |  |  |
| N/A         | RECORD SENTINEL   | 4    | Alpha        | Equals '****'  |  |  |  |
| 0000        | RECORD ID   | 6    | Alpha        | Equals 'TRANB'   |  |  |  |
| 0010        | TRANSMITTER STATE EIN                                   | 9    | numeric      | Equals 470491233. (Matches Transmitter EIN from TRANA record). |  |  |  |
| 0020        | TRANSMITTER ADDRESS                                     | 35   | alphanum     | Equals '301 Centennial Mall South'.                            |  |  |  |
| 0030        | TRANSMITTER CITY,<br>STATE, ZIP CODE                    | 35   | alphanum     | Equals 'Lincoln, NE 68509'.                                    |  |  |  |

| 0040 | TRANSMITTER AREA<br>CODE AND PHONE<br>NUMBER | 10 | numeric | Equals 4024715619. |
|------|--|----|---------|--------------------|
| 0050 | FILLER                                       | 16 | Alpha   | Blank              |
| N/A  | RECORD TERMINUS                              | 1  | Alpha   | Equals '#'         |

#### 6.3 INNER ENVELOPE TRANA HEADER RECORD

This header record contains information about the tax return Transmitter. The Inner Envelope consists of various detail records intended for a specific Transmitter. Most files will contain multiple Inner Envelopes (consisting of TRANA, TRANB, ACK, ACKR, and RECAP records), one for each Transmitter receiving acknowledgments.

|             | STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE TRANA RECORD (INNER ENVELOPE)                    |      |              |   |  |  |
|-------------|--|------|--------------|---|--|--|
| SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME   | LEN. | DATA<br>TYPE | DESCRIPTION   |  |  |
| N/A         | BYTE COUNT   | 4    | numeric      | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.   |  |  |
| N/A         | RECORD SENTINEL  | 4    | Alpha        | Equals '****'   |  |  |
| 0000        | RECORD ID  | 6    | Alpha        | Equals 'TRANA'  |  |  |
| 0010        | TRANSMITTER EIN  | 9    | numeric      | Will contain zeros or if used, this would contain the EIN of the tax return file transmitter.   |  |  |
| 0020        | TRANSMITTER NAME   | 35   | alphanum     | Blank.  |  |  |
| 0030        | TRANSMITTER TYPE   | 16   | Alpha        | Equals 'Preparer's Agent'   |  |  |
| 0040        | PROCESSING SITE  | 1    | Alpha        | Equals 'E' (Austin)   |  |  |
| 0050        | TRANSMISSION DATE  | 8    | numeric      | Equals the date the file is transmitted to the IRS in YYYYMMDD format.  |  |  |
| 0060        | ELECTRONIC<br>TRANSMITTER<br>IDENTIFICATION<br>NUMBER (ETIN) +<br>USE CODE | 7    | numeric      | Equals the ETIN of the tax return file transmitter as provided in Seq. # 0023, RSN ETIN in the Nebraska Generic Record. This is the ETIN of the Transmitter used to identify the mailbox where the IRS posts the NE Ack. Left justified. Use Code (Pos. 6 and 7) will be 00-99. This matches the ETIN in the corresponding RECAP Inner Envelope trailer record. |  |  |
| 0070        | JULIAN DAY   | 3    | numeric      | Not supplied by the state. Will be set to zeros.  |  |  |
| 0080        | TRANSMISSION<br>SEQUENCE FOR<br>JULIAN DAY                                 | 2    | numeric      | Not supplied by the state. Will be set to zeros.  |  |  |
| 0090        | ACKNOWLEDGMENT<br>TRANSMISSION<br>FORMAT                                   | 1    | Alpha        | Equals 'A' (for ASCII).   |  |  |
| 0100        | RECORD TYPE  | 1    | Alpha        | Equals 'F' (for fixed).   |  |  |

| 0110 | TRANSMITTER EFIN       | 6 | numeric | Not used. Will be set to zeros.               |
|------|------------------------|---|---------|---|
| 0120 | FILLER                 | 5 | Alpha   | Blank.  |
| 0130 | RESERVED               | 1 | Alpha   | Blank   |
| 0140 | RESERVED               | 1 | Alpha   | Blank   |
| 0150 | RESERVED               | 6 | Alpha   | Blank   |
| 0160 | PRODUCTION-TEST CODE   | 1 | Alpha   | Equals either 'P' (production) or 'T' (test). |
| 0170 | TRANSMISSION TYPE CODE | 1 | Alpha   | Equals 'Z' (State Acknowledgment)             |
| 0180 | RESERVED               | 1 | Alpha   | Blank   |
| N/A  | RECORD TERMINUS        | 1 | Alpha   | Equals '#'                                    |

#### 6.4 INNER ENVELOPE TRANB HEADER RECORD

This header record contains additional information about the tax return's Transmitter.

| STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE TRANB RECORD (INNER ENVELOPE) |  |      |              |  |  |  |
|---|--|------|--------------|--|--|--|
| SEQ.<br>NO.   | FIELD NAME                                   | LEN. | DATA<br>TYPE | DESCRIPTION  |  |  |
| N/A   | BYTE COUNT                                   | 4    | numeric      | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.                |  |  |
| N/A   | RECORD SENTINEL                              | 4    | Alpha        | Equals '****'  |  |  |
| 0000  | RECORD ID                                    | 6    | Alpha        | Equals 'TRANB '  |  |  |
| 0010  | TRANSMITTER EIN                              | 9    | numeric      | Equals the EIN of the tax return file transmitter.             |  |  |
| 0020  | TRANSMITTER<br>ADDRESS                       | 35   | alphanum     | Business address of the tax return file transmitter.           |  |  |
| 0030  | TRANSMITTER CITY,<br>STATE, ZIP CODE         | 35   | alphanum     | Business address of the tax return file transmitter.           |  |  |
| 0040  | TRANSMITTER AREA<br>CODE AND PHONE<br>NUMBER | 10   | numeric      | Business telephone number for the tax return file transmitter. |  |  |
| 0050  | FILLER                                       | 16   | Alpha        | Blank  |  |  |
| N/A   | RECORD TERMINUS                              | 1    | Alpha        | Equals '#'   |  |  |

#### 6.5 STATE ACK KEY RECORD

This record contains information about the tax return being acknowledged. It will have the same format regardless if the tax return was accepted or rejected, however, certain field values will differ based on whether it is accepted or not. If rejected, it will be followed immediately in this file by one or more ACKR records (up to a maximum of 96), which defines the type of error.

### STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE STATE ACK KEY RECORD

| SEQ.<br>NO.      | FIELD NAME                     | LEN. | DATA<br>TYPE | DESCRIPTION   |
|------------------|--------------------------------|------|--------------|---|
| N/A              | BYTE COUNT                     | 4    | numeric      | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.   |
| N/A              | RECORD SENTINEL                | 4    | alpha        | Equals '****'.  |
| 0000             | RECORD ID                      | 6    | alpha        | Equals 'ACK'. (Left justified with 3 spaces).   |
| 0005             | RESERVED IP<br>ADDRESS CODE    | 1    | alpha        | Blank.  |
| 0010             | EIC INDICATOR                  | 1    | alpha        | Blank.  |
| 0020             | TAXPAYER IDENTIFICATION NUMBER | 9    | numeric      | Equals the primary SSN on the tax return being acknowledged.  |
| 0030             | RETURN SEQUENCE<br>NUMBER      | 16   | alphanum     | Equals the RSN (Seq. # 0023) on the tax return being acknowledged.  |
|                  |                                |      |              | Position 1-5 equals the ETIN of the tax return file transmitter. Position 6-7 equals the Transmitter's Use Code. Position 8-10 equals the Julian Day. Position 11-12 equals the Transmission Sequence Number. Position 13-16 equals the Sequence Number for the return. |
| 0040             | REFUND OR<br>BALANCE DUE       | 12   | numeric      | Equals the value of AMOUNT YOU OWE or REFUND reported on the tax return being acknowledged. (This will be set to zeros if it is a zero liability return.)   |
| 0050             | ACCEPTANCE CODE                | 1    | alpha        | Equals one of the following values based on state edits:  'A' = Accepted 'R' = Rejected 'D' = Duplicate (also rejected)   |
| 0060             | DUPLICATE CODE                 | 3    | alpha        | If the Acceptance Code equals D, this field indicates what type of duplicate it is. Equals the following value (left justified) based on state edits:  'D ' = Duplicate DCN or zero 'P ' = Duplicate Primary SSN or zero 'S ' = Duplicate Spouse SSN or zero            |
| 0065             | PIN PRESENCE<br>INDICATOR      | 1    | numeric      | Nebraska does not use a PIN for state signature purposes in the Fed/State program. This will always equal 0.  |
| 0070             | EFT CODE                       | 1    | alpha        | Not used. Blank.  |
| 0080<br>*<br>CHG | DATE ACCEPTED                  | 8    | numeric      | If the Acceptance Code equals A, this will be set to the Date Received for the return being acknowledged. This date will be in YYYYMMDD format. If the Acceptance Code equals R or D, this will be blank.   |

| 0090<br>* | RETURN DECLARATION CONTROL NUMBER    | 14 | numeric | Equals the DCN (Seq. # 0020) on the tax return being acknowledged.  |
|-----------|--------------------------------------|----|---------|---|
| CHG       | (DCN)                                |    |         | pos. 1-2 = '00'<br>pos. 3-8 = EFIN of ERO<br>pos. 9-11 = Batch No. ('000'-'999')<br>pos. 12-13 = Serial No. ('00'-'99')<br>pos. 14 = Year Digit (value = '6') |
| 0100      | NUMBER OF ERROR<br>RECORDS           | 2  | numeric | Equals the number of ACKR reject records for the tax return being acknowledged. Values are 00 (none) through 96.  |
| 0110      | FOUO RETURN SEQUENCE NUMBER          | 13 | alpha   | Reserved. Blank.  |
| 0112<br>* | REQUESTED STATE<br>DD INDICATOR      | 1  | alpha   | Equals one of the following values when the return is reported as a refund, otherwise this is blank:  |
| CHG       |                                      |    |         | 'Y' = Direct Deposit Requested 'N' = Paper Check Requested  |
| 0115      | PAYMENT<br>ACKNOWLEDGMENT<br>LITERAL | 15 | alpha   | Not used by Nebraska. Blank.  |
| 0117      | DATE OF BIRTH<br>VALIDITY CODE       | 1  | numeric | Equals 0.   |
| 0118      | FILLER                               | 1  | alpha   | Blank.  |
| 0119      | STATE-ONLY CODE                      | 2  | alpha   | Equals 'SO' or blank depending on the value of Seq # 0019, STATE ONLY INDICATOR on the tax return being acknowledged.   |
| 0120      | DEBT CODE                            | 1  | alpha   | Not used. Blank.  |
| 0130      | STATE PACKET<br>CODE                 | 2  | alpha   | Equals 'NE'.  |
| N/A       | RECORD TERMINUS                      | 1  | alpha   | Equals '#'  |

#### 6.6 STATE ACKR REJECT RECORD

This record provides the Reject Code that is assigned to a tax return. There can be up to 96 of these records associated with the ACK KEY record defined above.

| STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE STATE ACKR ERROR RECORD |                                      |             |         |  |  |  |  |
|---|--------------------------------------|-------------|---------|--|--|--|--|
| SEQ.<br>NO.                                       | FIELD NAME                           | DESCRIPTION |         |  |  |  |  |
| N/A   | BYTE COUNT                           | 4           | numeric | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.  |  |  |  |
| N/A   | RECORD SENTINEL                      | 4           | alpha   | Equals '****'.   |  |  |  |
| 0000  | RECORD ID                            | 6           | alpha   | Equals 'ACKR'. (Left justified with 2 spaces).   |  |  |  |
| 0010  | TAXPAYER<br>IDENTIFICATION<br>NUMBER | 9           | numeric | Equals the primary SSN on the tax return being acknowledged, and matches the Taxpayer Identification Number on the ACK KEY record. |  |  |  |

| 0020 | FILLER                          | 7  | alpha    | Blank.   |
|------|---------------------------------|----|----------|--|
| 0030 | ERROR RECORD<br>SEQUENCE NUMBER | 2  | numeric  | Equals the sequence of this record out of the possible 96 occurrences.   |
| 0040 | ERROR FORM<br>RECORD ID         | 6  | alphanum | Not used by Nebraska. Blank.   |
| 0050 | ERROR FORM<br>RECORD TYPE       | 6  | alphanum | Not used by Nebraska. Blank.   |
| 0060 | ERROR FORM PAGE<br>NUMBER       | 5  | alphanum | Equals 'pg00 '. (Left justified with 1 space).   |
| 0070 | ERROR FORM OCCURRENCE           | 7  | numeric  | Equals 0000001.  |
| 0800 | ERROR FIELD<br>SEQUENCE NUMBER  | 4  | numeric  | Not used by Nebraska. Blank.   |
| 0090 | ERROR REJECT<br>CODE            | 4  | numeric  | Equals the Nebraska Reject Code associated with this error. (See the 2005 Nebraska Reject Code Listing for possible values). |
| 0100 | FILLER                          | 55 | alpha    | Blank.   |
| N/A  | RECORD TERMINUS                 | 1  | alpha    | Equals '#'   |

#### 6.7 INNER ENVELOPE RECAP RECORD

This record provides file totals by Transmitter. One Inner Envelope Recap record will exist in this file for each group of tax return acknowledgments intended for a unique Transmitter Mailbox ETIN.

|             | STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE RECAP RECORD (INNER ENVELOPE)                    |      |              |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------|--|------|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME   | LEN. | DATA<br>TYPE | DESCRIPTION  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N/A         | BYTE COUNT   | 4    | numeric      | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N/A         | RECORD SENTINEL  | 4    | alpha        | Equals '****'.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0000        | RECORD ID  | 6    | alpha        | Equals 'RECAP'. (Left justified with 1 space).   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0010        | FILLER   | 8    | alpha        | Blank.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0020        | TOTAL EFT COUNT  | 6    | numeric      | Not used. Blank.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0030        | TOTAL ACK KEY<br>COUNT   | 6    | numeric      | Equals the total count of ACK KEY records within this Inner Envelope. Range = 000001-999999.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0040        | ELECTRONIC<br>TRANSMITTER<br>IDENTIFICATION<br>NUMBER (ETIN) +<br>USE CODE | 7    | numeric      | Equals the ETIN of the tax return file transmitter as provided in Seq. # 0023, RSN ETIN in the Nebraska Generic Record. This is the ETIN of the Transmitter used to identify the mailbox where the IRS posts the NE Ack. Left justified. Use Code (Pos. 6 and 7) will be 00-99. This matches the ETIN in the corresponding TRANA Inner Envelope header record. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0050        | JULIAN DAY OF TRANSMISSION   | 3    | numeric      | Not supplied by the state. Will be set to zeros.   |  |  |  |  |  |

| 0060 | TRANSMISSION SEQUENCE                   | 2  | numeric  | Not supplied by the state. Will be set to zeros.   |
|------|---|----|----------|--|
| 0070 | TOTAL ACCEPTED RETURNS                  | 6  | numeric  | Equals a count of all ACK KEY records within this Inner Envelope with an Acceptance Code equal to 'A'. |
| 0800 | TOTAL DUPLICATED RETURNS                | 6  | numeric  | Equals a count of all ACK KEY records within this Inner Envelope with an Acceptance Code equal to 'D'. |
| 0090 | TOTAL REJECTED<br>RETURNS               | 6  | numeric  | Equals a count of all ACK KEY records within this Inner Envelope with an Acceptance Code equal to 'R'. |
| 0100 | TOTAL ACK ERROR<br>COUNT                | 6  | numeric  | Equals a count of all ACKR records within this Inner Envelope.   |
| 0110 | IRS COMPUTED EFT COUNT                  | 6  | numeric  | Blank.   |
| 0120 | IRS COMPUTED<br>RETURN COUNT            | 6  | numeric  | Blank.   |
| 0130 | TOTAL STATE-ONLY<br>RETURN COUNT        | 6  | numeric  | Blank.   |
| 0135 | TOTAL ACCEPTED<br>STATE-ONLY<br>RETURNS | 6  | numeric  | Blank.   |
| 0137 | FILLER                                  | 5  | alpha    | Blank.   |
| 0140 | ACK FILE NAME<br>(GTX KEY)              | 20 | alphanum | Provided by the IRS EMS.   |
| N/A  | RECORD TERMINUS                         | 1  | alpha    | Equals '#'   |

#### 6.8 OUTER ENVELOPE RECAP RECORD

This record provides file totals for the entire Acknowledgment file.

| STATE                         | STATE ACKNOWLEDGMENT FILE     |      |              |  |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------|--------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| RECAP RECORD (OUTER ENVELOPE) |                               |      |              |  |  |  |  |  |
| SEQ.<br>NO.                   | FIELD NAME                    | LEN. | DATA<br>TYPE | DESCRIPTION  |  |  |  |  |
| N/A                           | BYTE COUNT                    | 4    | numeric      | The number of bytes in the record. Equals 0120.  |  |  |  |  |
| N/A                           | RECORD SENTINEL               | 4    | alpha        | Equals '****'.   |  |  |  |  |
| 0000                          | RECORD ID                     | 6    | alpha        | Equals 'RECAP'. (Left justified with 1 space).   |  |  |  |  |
| 0010                          | FILLER                        | 8    | alpha        | Blank.   |  |  |  |  |
| 0020                          | TOTAL EFT COUNT               | 6    | numeric      | Not used. Will be set to zeros.  |  |  |  |  |
| 0030                          | TOTAL INNER<br>TRANA COUNT    | 6    | numeric      | Equals the total number of transmitters in this file.  |  |  |  |  |
| 0040                          | TRANSMITTER<br>STATE ETIN     | 7    | numeric      | Left justified. Pos. 1 – 5 equals the Nebraska ETIN, 36746. Pos. 6 and 7 (Use Code) will be zeros.                           |  |  |  |  |
| 0050                          | JULIAN DAY OF<br>TRANSMISSION | 3    | numeric      | Sequential day of the year (001 - 366) for this transmission. This will equal JULIAN DAY in the Outer Envelope TRANA record. |  |  |  |  |

| 0060 | TRANSMISSION<br>SEQUENCE                | 2  | numeric  | Sequence number of this transmission within a particular JULIAN DAY. |
|------|---|----|----------|--|
| 0070 | TOTAL ACCEPTED RETURNS                  | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0800 | TOTAL DUPLICATED RETURNS                | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0090 | TOTAL REJECTED<br>RETURNS               | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0100 | TOTAL NUMBER OF<br>ACK ERROR<br>RECORDS | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0110 | IRS COMPUTED RETURN EFT COUNT           | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0120 | IRS COMPUTED RETURN COUNT               | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0130 | TOTAL STATE-ONLY<br>RETURNS             | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0135 | TOTAL ACCEPTED<br>STATE-ONLY<br>RETURNS | 6  | numeric  | Not used for state Acks. Equals all zeros.                           |
| 0137 | FILLER                                  | 5  | alpha    | Blank.   |
| 0140 | ACK FILE NAME                           | 20 | alphanum | GTX Key for transmitted acknowledgments. Supplied by the IRS.        |
| N/A  | RECORD TERMINUS                         | 1  | alpha    | Equals '#'   |

### **APPENDIX B**

## NEBRASKA FORMS 1040N (LONG FORM) AND 1040NS (SHORT FORM) GENERIC RECORD LAYOUT

6.4 SPECIFICATIONS FOR FORM 1040N (LONG FORM) WITH OPTIONAL SCHEDULES I, II, AND III; AND FORM 1040NS (SHORT FORM).

Nebraska uses a long form (1040N), and a short form (1040NS). Field definitions in this section are for both forms.

| FORMS 1040N AND 1040NS<br>HEADER SECTION |                                       |              |     |                 |  |  |  |  |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------|-----|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO.                       | FIELD NAME                            | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS   |  |  |  |
| N/a  * CHG                               | BYTE COUNT byte_count                 | n/a          | 4   | num. 0-9        | Always Required. Provides the number of bytes in the record.  Must equal "2752" for fixed or "nnnn" for variable.      |  |  |  |
| N/a                                      | RECORD<br>SENTINEL                    | n/a          | 4   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Value '****'.   |  |  |  |
| 0000                                     | RECORD ID.                            | n/a          | 6   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Set to 'STbbbb'.  |  |  |  |
| 0001                                     | FORM NUMBER                           | n/a          | 6   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Set to '0001bb'.  |  |  |  |
| 0002                                     | PAGE NUMBER                           | n/a          | 5   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Set to 'PG01b'.   |  |  |  |
| 0003                                     | TAXPAYER ID<br>NUMBER<br>g000_prssn   | n/a          | 9   | Numeric         | Always Required. Set to<br>Primary Taxpayer SSN; (Code<br>as Numeric) Must equal primary<br>SSN on the federal return. |  |  |  |
| 0004                                     | FILLER                                | n/a          | 1   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Set to space.   |  |  |  |
| 0005                                     | FORM<br>OCCURRENCE<br>NUMBER          | n/a          | 7   | Numeric         | Always Required. Set to 0000001.   |  |  |  |
| 0010                                     | STATE CODE g010_st_cd                 | n/a          | 2   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Must equal 'NE'.  |  |  |  |
| 0011                                     | CITY CODE                             | n/a          | 2   | Blanks          | Not Used.  |  |  |  |
| 0019                                     | STATE ONLY<br>INDICATOR<br>g019_sonly | n/a          | 2   | alphnum.        | Optional. Must equal 'SO' if a State Only return, else set to blanks.  |  |  |  |

| 0020<br>* | DECLARATION<br>CONTROL<br>NUMBER (DCN)            | n/a | 14 | alphnum. | Always Required. Must match DCN on Nebraska Form 8453N. Values are:  |
|-----------|---|-----|----|----------|--|
| CHG       | g020_prfx<br>g020_efin<br>g020_misc               |     |    |          | pos. 1-2 = '00'<br>pos. 3-8 = EFIN of ERO<br>pos. 9-11 = Batch No.;<br>('000'-'999')<br>pos. 12-13 = Serial No.<br>('00'-'99')<br>pos. 14 = Year Digit;<br>(Value = '6')   |
| 0023      | RETURN SEQUENCE NUMBER (RSN)  g023_etin g023 misc | n/a | 16 | Num. 0-9 | Always Required. Must equal RSN on 1040, 1040A, or 1040EZ. This specifies the ETIN under which state Acknowledgment files will be posted at the IRS. Values are:  pos. 1-5 = ETIN of Transmitter pos. 6-7 = Transmitter Use pos. 8-10 = Julian Date pos. 11-12 = Seq. No. (01-99) pos. 13-16 = Return Seq. No. (0001-9999) |

|                    | FORM 1040N AND 1040NS<br>STATE DIRECT DEPOSIT/ELECTRONIC FUNDS WITHDRAWAL SECTION |              |     |                 |   |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--------------|-----|-----------------|---|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |
| 0024               | STATE RETURN INDICATOR  | n/a          | 1   | Blank           | Optional. Indicates if an electronic banking function is requested. Values are:  '' = No Direct Deposit or EFW  '1' = Direct Deposit of refund  '2' = Electronic Funds  Withdrawal (EFW) of balance due |  |  |  |
| 0025               | STATE<br>ROUTING<br>TRANSIT FLAG<br>g025_rtnfl                                    | n/a          | 1   | Blanks          | Not Used.   |  |  |  |

| 0027<br>*<br>NEW | DIRECT DEBIT<br>(EFW) DATE                        | N/a | 8  | alphanum.           | Optional. If present, then Amount You Owe (Seq# 0480) must not be blank, and must be greater than zero; State Return Indicator (Seq# 0024) must equal '2'; and other Electronic Funds Withdrawal fields (Seq# 0028, 0030, 0035, and 0040 or 0048), must contain significant values. If used, format as YYYYMMDD. Must be a valid date, greater than 20060115 and equal to or greater than the Processing Date (in the STCAP record) plus 2 days.  Electronic Funds Withdrawals can be warehoused prior to the current year's due date, but not after the current year's due date, the Debit Date must equal the Processing Date plus 2 days.  Note: Any Electronic Funds Withdrawal requests with invalid or incomplete dates will be |
|------------------|---|-----|----|---------------------|---|
|                  | G027_dbdat  |     |    |                     | denied and a balance due notice sent to the taxpayer. The department will advance the Debit Date to the next banking day in certain cases, such as weekends and holidays, when not enough time has been allowed to process the debit on the date specified. Files rejected by the IRS should be inspected by the user for possible updates. The location of this field was previously in Sequence # 0305.   |
| 0028<br>*<br>NEW | DEBIT AMOUNT  G028_dbamt                          | n/a | 12 | num 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Required if State Return Indicator (Seq# 0024) equals '2', and other Electronic Funds Withdrawal fields contain significant data. The location of this field was previously in Sequence # 0925.   |
| 0030             | STATE<br>ROUTING<br>TRANSIT<br>NUMBER<br>g030_rtn | 41a | 9  | Num. 0-9            | Optional. Identification number of the taxpayer's financial institution. Follow IRS edit rules for this field. Must be blank if no state direct deposit or Electronic Funds Withdrawal.   |

| 0032 | STATE RTN<br>INDICATOR                  | n/a | 1  | Num. 0-9  | Optional. Values are:   |
|------|---|-----|----|-----------|---|
|      | g032_rtnin                              |     |    |           | 0 = No state RTN.<br>1 = State RTN found on FOMF.<br>2 = State RTN not found on<br>FOMF.  |
| 0035 | STATE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NUMBER  g035_acct | 41c | 17 | alphanum. | Optional. The taxpayer's bank account number in which refunds are deposited or from which balance dues are debited. Must be blank if no state direct deposit or or Electronic Funds Withdrawal (if Seq# 0024 is blank). |
| 0040 | STATE CHECKING ACCOUNT IND.             | 41b | 1  | alpha     | Optional. Must be blank if no state direct deposit or Electronic Funds Withdrawal (if Seq# 0024 is blank). Values are:  'X' = Checking '' = Not Applicable/No State Direct Deposit or Electronic Funds Withdrawal.      |
| 0048 | STATE SAVINGS<br>ACCOUNT IND.           | 41b | 1  | alpha     | Optional. Must be blank if no state direct deposit or Electronic Funds Withdrawal (if Seq# 0024 is blank). Values are: 'X' = Savings '' = Not Applicable/No State Direct Deposit or Electronic Funds Withdrawal.        |

| FORM 1040N AND 1040NS<br>INDICATORS SECTION |                                 |              |     |                 |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|---------------------------------|--------------|-----|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO.                          | FIELD NAME                      | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS   |  |  |  |  |
| 0049  | ONLINE STATE RETURN g049_online | n/a          | 1   | alphanum.       | Optional. Values are:  Blank = prepared by ERO Software 'O' = if prepared by Online Software |  |  |  |  |

| FORM 1040N AND 1040NS PARTICIPANT SECTION |            |              |     |                  |                    |  |  |  |  |
|---|------------|--------------|-----|------------------|--------------------|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.                               | FIELD NAME | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR.  | DEFINITION / EDITS |  |  |  |  |
| NO.                                       |            |              |     | <b>0117</b> (14) |                    |  |  |  |  |

| 0050 | STATE<br>NUMERIC AREA | n/a | 27 | alphanum. | Optional. Values are:          |
|------|-----------------------|-----|----|-----------|--------------------------------|
|      |                       |     |    |           | Pos. 1 - 9 = Prep. SSN or PTIN |
|      | g050_ppssn            |     |    |           | Pos. 10 - 18 = Prep. EIN       |
|      | g050_ppeing           |     |    |           | Pos. 19 - 23 = Prep. Zip Cd.   |
|      | g050_ppzip            |     |    |           | Pos. 24 - 27 = Prep. Zip+4)    |
| 0052 | STATE ALPHA           | n/a | 93 | alphanum. | Values are:                    |
|      | NUMERIC AREA          |     |    |           |                                |
|      |                       |     |    |           | Pos. 1 - 5 = Not used – blank  |
|      | g052_mbxid            |     |    |           | Pos. 6 - 40 = Prep.Firm Name   |
|      | g052_pfnam            |     |    |           | Pos. 41 - 70 = Prep. Address   |
|      | g052_paddr            |     |    |           | Pos. 71 - 90 = Prep. City      |
|      | g052_pcity            |     |    |           | Pos. 91 - 92 = Prep. State     |
|      | g052_pst              |     |    |           | Pos. 93 = Prep. Self-Empl.     |
|      | g052_psein            |     |    |           | Indicator                      |

|                    | FORM 1040N AND 1040NS ENTITY SECTION                      |              |     |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--------------|-----|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0055               | SPOUSE SSN<br>g055_spssn                                  | N/a          | 9   | num. 0-9        | Optional. Required if Filing<br>Status equals 2 or 3. Must be<br>blank if Nebraska Filing Status<br>equals 1, 4, or 5.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0060               | NAME LINE 1 g060_plnam g060_psnam                         | N/a          | 35  | alphanum.       | Always Required. First 32 characters of the primary taxpayer last name. Must equal first 32 characters of IRS Primary Taxpayer last name followed by 3 characters of name suffix, if needed. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0062<br>*<br>NEW   | DATE OF<br>DEATH –<br>PRIMARY<br>g062_prdod               | N/a          | 8   | num. 0-9        | Optional. Date of death for the primary taxpayer. Format as YYYYMMDD. If this is present, Filing Status must equal '2' and Seq. # 0068 must be blank.  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 065                | NAME LINE 2 g065_slnam g065_ssnam                         | N/a          | 35  | alphanum.       | Optional. Required if File<br>Status equals 2 or 3. First 32<br>characters of the secondary<br>taxpayer (Spouse) last name,<br>followed by 3 characters of name<br>suffix if needed.         |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0068<br>*<br>NEW   | DATE OF<br>DEATH -<br>SECONDARY<br>(SPOUSE)<br>g068_spdod | N/a          | 8   | num. 0-9        | Optional. Date of death for the secondary taxpayer (spouse). Format as YYYYMMDD. If this is present, Filing Status must equal '2' and Seq. # 0062 must be blank.                             |  |  |  |  |  |

| 0070      | NAME LINE 3              | N/a  | 35 | alphanum. | Required. Positions 1-16 is the Primary taxpayer first name.                                  |
|-----------|--------------------------|------|----|-----------|---|
|           |                          |      |    |           | Position 17 is the Primary taxpayer middle initial. Positions 18-33 is the secondary taxpayer |
|           | g070_pfnam               |      |    |           | first name (Required for File Status 2). Position 34 is the                                   |
|           | g070_pmint               |      |    |           | secondary taxpayer middle   |
|           | g070_sfnam<br>g070_smint |      |    |           | initial. Position 35 must be blank.   |
| 0074<br>* | C/O<br>ADDRESSEE         | N/a  | 35 | alphanum. | Not Used. In Care Of addressee name. Not used by Nebraska. Set to blanks.                     |
| NEW       | g074 gooddr              |      |    |           |   |
| 0075      | g074_coaddr<br>ADDRESS   | N/a  | 35 | alphanum. | Optional. Required if Taxpayer  |
|           | LINE 1<br>g075_addr1     |      |    |           | mailing address is in the U.S. First 35 characters of the taxpayer's address.                 |
| 0077      | FOREIGN<br>STREET        | N/a  | 35 | alphanum. | <b>Optional</b> . Required if Taxpayer mailing address is outside of the                      |
|           | ADDRESS                  |      |    |           | U.S.  |
|           |                          |      |    |           |   |
| 0080      | g077_faddr<br>ADDRESS    | N/a  | 35 | alphanum. | Optional. Remaining characters  |
| 0000      | LINE 2                   | I Wa |    | арпанаті. | of the taxpayer's address.  |
|           | g080_addr2               |      |    |           |   |
| 0085      | CITY                     | N/a  | 22 | Alpha     | <b>Optional.</b> Required if Taxpayer mailing address is in the U.S.                          |
|           | g085_city                |      |    |           | Taxpayer address city name.   |
| 0087      | FOREIGN CITY,            | N/a  | 35 | alphanum. | Optional. Required if Taxpayer  |
|           | STATE, OR<br>PROVINCE    |      |    |           | mailing address is outside of the U.S.  |
|           | g087_fcsp                |      |    |           |   |
| 0090      | CITY CODE                | n/a  | 5  | Blank     | Not Used.   |
| 0095      | STATE                    | n/a  | 2  | Alpha     | Optional. Required if Taxpayer  |
|           |                          |      |    |           | mailing address is in the U.S. Taxpayer address state. If                                     |
|           | g095_state               |      |    |           | present, must equal a standard Postal Abbreviation.   |
| 0098      | FOREIGN<br>COUNTRY       | n/a  | 22 | Alpha     | <b>Optional.</b> Required if Taxpayer mailing address is outside of the                       |
|           |                          |      |    |           | U.S.  |
| 0100      | g098_fcoun<br>ZIP CODE   | n/a  | 12 | alphanum. | Optional. Required if Taxpayer  |
| 0.00      |                          | 11/4 | 12 |           | mailing address is in the U.S. Left justified. Pos. 6-12 is not used and must equal spaces.   |
|           | g100_zip1                |      |    |           | acca and must equal spaces.   |

| 0105      | HIGH SCHOOL<br>DISTRICT CODE          | n/a | 20 | alphanum.                     | Optional. Required for 1040N resident returns and all short form (1040NS) filers. Resident returns must have Type of Return, Seq.# 0305, = '1') and Part Year Resident returns must   |
|-----------|---------------------------------------|-----|----|-------------------------------|---|
|           |                                       |     |    |                               | have Type of Return, Seq# 0305,<br>= '2', and the Part Year Resident<br>End Date (Seq# 0305) equal to<br>12/31/2005). When required, it<br>must be a valid code. Format as<br>follows:  |
|           |                                       |     |    |                               | This is a 7 digit code. Pos. 1-2 is the Taxpayer residence county. Pos. 3-4 is the School County. Pos. 5-7 is the School District Number. Use the High School District Code Table (referenced in Appendix E, and available electronically) to verify a valid High School District Code.                               |
|           |                                       |     |    |                               | If Type of Return is '2', and no value is entered by the user, set to '9999999'. (Note; entry of '9999999' by user should be allowed when Type of Return is '2', and Part Year End Date (Seq# 0305) is not equal to 12/31/2001.   |
| 0110      | g105_schcd<br>COUNTY CODE             | n/a | 5  | alphanum.                     | Pos. 8-20 = spaces.  Not Used.  |
|           |                                       |     |    |                               |   |
| 0115      | TAXPAYER TELEPHONE NUMBER             | n/a | 12 | alphanum.<br>999-999-<br>9999 | Optional. No parenthesis. Insert dashes between area code and prefix, and between prefix and the remaining 4 digits. Note to Online developers: Although this field is optional, we strongly recommend that your software capture this information in the event that we must contact them about errors on the return. |
| 0120      | PRIMARY                               | n/a | 5  | num. 0-9                      | Optional. Federal PIN   |
| *         | TAXPAYER<br>SIGNATURE                 |     |    |                               | assigned to Primary Taxpayer. Not used by Nebraska.   |
| NEW       | (PIN USE ONLY)                        |     |    |                               |   |
| 0125<br>* | SPOUSE<br>SIGNATURE<br>(PIN USE ONLY) | n/a | 5  | num. 0-9                      | Optional. Federal PIN assigned to the Spouse Taxpayer. Not used by Nebraska.  |
| NEW       | 105                                   |     |    |                               | Howasia   |
|           | g125_spin                             |     |    |                               |   |

| 0126 | ERO EFIN/PIN | n/a | 11 | num. 0-9 | Optional. Not used by |
|------|--------------|-----|----|----------|-----------------------|
| *    |              |     |    |          | Nebraska.             |
|      |              |     |    |          |                       |
| NEW  | g106 onin    |     |    |          |                       |
|      | g126_epin    |     |    |          |                       |

|                    | FORM 1040N AND 1040NS CONSISTENCY SECTION |                       |     |                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|-----------------------|-----|-----------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME                                | FORM<br>LINE          | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0150               | FEDERAL<br>FILING STATUS                  | n/a                   | 1   | blank           | Not Used in consistency check. Must equal spaces.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0155               | TOTAL FEDERAL EXEMPTIONS                  | 5<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 2   | alphanum.       | Always Required.  1040N: Valid range is 00 through 99. This is Federal Exemptions as reflected in the federal return. When the federal form used was a 1040 or 1040A, it will be used in the IRS consistency check. If the federal form used was a 1040EZ, it will not be checked.  1040NS: Taxpayers using this form MUST also be filing a federal 1040EZ. This is the Federal Exemptions as reflected in the federal filing, and is shown as Number of Personal Exemptions on Form 1040NS. When the federal form used was a 1040EZ, it will not be used in the IRS consistency check. Must equal '00', '01', or '02'. |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0160               | WAGES,<br>SALARIES AND<br>TIPS            | n/a                   | 12  | blanks          | Not Used in consistency check. Must equal spaces.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0165               | TAXABLE<br>INTEREST                       | n/a                   | 12  | blanks          | <b>Not used</b> in consistency check. Must equal spaces.  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0170               | TAX EXEMPT<br>INTEREST                    | n/a                   | 12  | blanks          | <b>Not used</b> in consistency check. Must equal spaces.  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0175               | DIVIDENDS                                 | n/a                   | 12  | blanks          | Not used in consistency check. Must equal spaces.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0180               | STATE REFUND                              | n/a                   | 12  | blanks          | Not used in consistency check. Must equal spaces.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0185               | TAXABLE<br>SOCIAL<br>SECURITY<br>BENEFITS | n/a                   | 12  | blanks          | Not used in consistency check. Must equal spaces.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0190               | KEOGH PLAN &<br>SEP<br>DEDUCTIONS         | n/a                   | 12  | blanks          | Not used in consistency check. Must equal spaces.   |  |  |  |  |  |

| 0195 | FEDERAL<br>ADJUSTED<br>GROSS INCOME | 5   | 12 | num. 0-9 | Always Required. Signed Numeric (+ or -). Must equal IRS record Adjusted Gross Income unless the Special Instructions Box is checked. This field is always used in the IRS consistency check. |
|------|-------------------------------------|-----|----|----------|---|
| 0200 | STANDARD<br>DEDUCTION               | n/a | 12 | blanks   | <b>Not used</b> in consistency check. Must equal spaces.  |
| 0205 | EIC CLAIMED                         | n/a | 12 | blanks   | Not used in consistency check. Must equal spaces.   |

|                    | FORM 1040N AND 1040NS ALPHANUMERIC SECTION ALPHANUMERIC FIELD 1 |              |     |                 |   |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--------------|-----|-----------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |  |
| 0300               | SOFTWARE<br>LICENSE<br>NUMBER                                   | n/a          | 10  | alphanum.       | Always Required. Cannot be blank. Assigned to the developer by the department upon initiation of yearly testing. This changes each year. It identifies the software used to create the return.  |  |  |  |  |
| 0300               | ERO CONTACT<br>NAME   | n/a          | 31  | alphanum.       | Always Required. Cannot be blank if an ERO return. Set to spaces if an Online return.  Must correspond to the name of the contact person within the ERO office that is responsible for error resolution and/or maintaining Nebraska Form 8453N.   |  |  |  |  |
| 0300               | ERO TELEPHONE NUMBER  | n/a          | 10  | alphanum.       | Always Required. Cannot be blank if an ERO return. Set to spaces if an Online return. No dashes or parenthesis. This must correspond to the phone number of the contact person within the ERO office that is responsible for state error resolution and/or maintaining Nebraska Form 8453N. |  |  |  |  |
| 0300               | NON-PAID<br>PREPARER<br>NAME<br>g300_npprp                      | n/a          | 13  | alphanum.       | Optional. Non-paid preparer name.   |  |  |  |  |
| 0300               | PREPARER<br>STATE EIN   | n/a          | 16  | alphanum.       | Not Used. Set to blanks.  |  |  |  |  |

#### **FORM 1040N AND 1040NS ALPHANUMERIC SECTION**

|                    | ALPHANUMERIC FIELD 2                   |   |     |                 |   |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|--|---|-----|-----------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME                             | FORM<br>LINE                                  | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |  |
| 0305               | STATE FORM<br>USED                     | n/a   | 1   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Must equal 'N' when the return is a Form 1040N, or 'S' when the return is  |  |  |  |  |
|                    | g305_nform                             | ,   |     |                 | a Form 1040NS.  |  |  |  |  |
| 0305               | SCHEDULE<br>INDICATOR                  | n/a   | 1   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Values are:  '0' = No Nebraska Schedules '1' = NE Schedule I only. '2' = NE Schedule II only. '3' = NE Schedule III only. '4' = NE Schedules I & II. '5' = NE Schedules I & III.  If Type of Return = 'S', this must equal '0'. This code must match the actual data contained in their respective numeric section fields. |  |  |  |  |
| 0305               | FEDERAL FORM<br>USED<br>g305_fform     | n/a   | 1   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Values are:  '0' = 1040 '1' = 1040A '2' = 1040EZ   |  |  |  |  |
| 0305               | LABEL ONLY<br>BOX                      | n/a   | 1   | Alphanum.       | Not Used.   |  |  |  |  |
| 0305               | SPECIAL FILING<br>STATUS<br>g305_sstat | n/a   | 1   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Values are:  '0' = Not checked '1' = Farmer/Rancher (1040N filers only) '2' = Active Military  |  |  |  |  |
| 0305               | NEBRASKA<br>FILING STATUS              | 1<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>1<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 1   | Alphanum.       | Always Required. Values are:  '1' = Single '2' = Married Filing Joint '3' = Married Filing Separate '4' = Head of Household '5' = Widow(er) with dependent children  1040NS filers are limited to '1' (single) or '2' (married filing joint) only.  |  |  |  |  |

| 0305 | CHECKOFF -                     | 2a  | 1 | Alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:   |
|------|--------------------------------|---|---|-----------|--|
|      | You were 65 or older           |   |   |           | '0' = if NO not checked, or if it is a Form 1040NS.  |
| 0005 | g305_you65                     | 0 -   | 4 | -1-1      | '1' = if YES checked.  |
| 0305 | CHECKOFF -<br>You were blind   | 2a  | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:   |
|      | g305_youbl                     |   |   |           | '0' = if NO not checked, or if it is<br>a Form 1040NS.<br>'1' = if YES checked   |
| 0305 | CHECKOFF -<br>Spouse was 65    | 2a  | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:   |
|      | or older<br>g305_sps65         |   |   |           | '0' = if NO not checked, or if it is<br>a Form 1040NS.<br>'1' = if YES checked   |
| 0305 | CHECKOFF -<br>Spouse was blind | 2a  | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:   |
|      | g305_spsbl                     |   |   |           | '0' = if NO not checked, or if it is<br>a Form 1040NS.<br>'1' = if YES checked   |
| 0305 | CLAIMED AS<br>DEPENDENT        | 2b<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>2<br>(Form<br>1040NS)  | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:  '0' = if NO not checked, or '1' = if YES checked   |
| 0305 | TYPE OF<br>RETURN              | 3<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>N/A<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:  '1' = Resident '2' = Partial Year Resident '3' = Nonresident  1040NS filers are limited to '1' (resident). If = '2' or '3', then Schedule Indicator must equal 3 or 5; and Schedule III fields must not be all blank. If = '2', Part Year Resident Begin and End |
|      | g305_tyret                     | 1   |   |           | Dates are required.  |

| 0305 | SPECIAL<br>INSTRUCTIONS<br>(NO FEDERAL<br>LIABILITY)<br>CHECK BOX | N/a | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. (Between 1040N lines 4 and 5); Values are:  '0' = if NO not checked, or '1' = if YES checked.  If a Form 1040N and this is = '1' (checked): This indicates the taxpayer had no federal liability. If so, then 1040N Lines 6 through 27 must be set to blanks.  If a Form 1040NS and this = '1' (checked): This indicates the taxpayer had no federal liability.                                 |
|------|---|-----|---|-----------|--|
|      | g305_sibox  |     |   |           | If so, 1040NS lines 4 and 6 through 8 must be set to blanks.   |
| 0305 | REFUND DEDUCTION BOX g305_rdbox                                   | 13  | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:  '0' = if NO not checked, or if it is a Form 1040NS.  '1' = if YES checked  If = '1' (checked), this indicates that the only adjustment, either increasing or decreasing AGI, is the state income tax refund. In this case, no Nebraska Schedule I should be submitted.   |
| 0305 | CREDIT FOR PRIOR YEAR MINIMUM TAX INDICATOR                       | N/a | 1 | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:  '0' = if NO not checked, or if it is a Form 1040NS.  '1' = if YES checked  Indicates the taxpayer is claiming a prior year minimum tax credit. If = '1' (checked) and Type of Return = '1' (resident), then 1040N Line 20 must have a value. If = '1' (checked) and Type of Return = '2' (Part Year Resident) or '3' (Non-resident), then Schedule III, Line 64 must have a value. |

| 0305      | FEDERAL TAX   | N/a | 1  | alphanum. | Always Required. Values are:  |
|-----------|---|-----|----|-----------|---|
|           | USED<br>INDICATOR   |     |    |           | '0' = if NO not checked, or if it is<br>a Form 1040NS.<br>'1' = if YES checked  |
|           | g305_ftusd  |     |    |           | Indicates the taxpayer is using their Federal tax liability amount in 1040N Line 28. If Nebraska tax after non-refundable credits is larger than Federal tax, then Federal tax should be entered into Line 28 and this field should be set to '1'.  |
| 0305      | NUMBER OF<br>SIGNATURES                                     | N/a | 1  | alphanum. | Always Required. Must equal the number of signatures on the Nebraska Form 8453N. Values are:  |
|           |   |     |    |           | '1' = one signature, or<br>'2' = two signatures<br>If = '1'; Nebraska Filing Status   |
|           | g305_nosig  |     |    |           | must equal 1, 3, 4 or 5.  If = '2'; Nebraska Filing Status must equal 2.  |
| 0305      | PART YEAR<br>RESIDENT<br>BEGIN DATE                         | N/a | 10 | alphanum. | <b>Optional</b> . Must be blank if Type of Return equals '1' or if it is a Form 1040NS.   |
|           | g305_pyrbd  |     |    |           | Format as MM/DD/CCYY. If present, then Type of Return must = '2', Schedule Indicator must equal '3' or '5', and NE Schedule III must be present. If Begin Date is present, then End Date must also be present.  |
| 0305<br>* | PART YEAR<br>RESIDENT END<br>DATE                           | N/a | 10 | alphanum. | Optional. Must be blank if Type of Return equals '1' or if it is a Form 1040NS.   |
| СНС       | g305_pyred  |     |    |           | Format as MM/DD/CCYY. If present, then Type of Return must = '2', Schedule Indicator must equal '3' or '5', and NE Schedule III must be present. If End Date is present, then Begin Date must also be present. If End Date equals 12/31/2005, then School District Code (Seq # 0305) is required. |
| 0305      | SCHEDULE II<br>STATE # 1<br>POSTAL<br>ABBREV.<br>g305_s2st1 | N/a | 2  | alphanum. | Optional. Must be the postal abbreviation of the state for the state return associated with Schedule II occurrence #1. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS.  |

| 0305             | SCHEDULE II<br>STATE # 2<br>POSTAL<br>ABBREV.<br>g305_s2st2               | N/a | 2 | alphanum. | Optional. Must be the postal abbreviation of the state for the state return associated with Schedule II occurrence #2. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS.  |
|------------------|---|-----|---|-----------|---|
| 0305             | SCHEDULE II<br>STATE # 3<br>POSTAL<br>ABBREV.<br>g305_s2st3               | N/a | 2 | alphanum. | Optional. Must be the postal abbreviation of the state for the state return associated with Schedule II occurrence #3. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS.  |
| 0305             | SCHEDULE II<br>STATE # 4<br>POSTAL<br>ABBREV.<br>g305_s2st4               | N/a | 2 | alphanum. | Optional. Must be the postal abbreviation of the state for the state return associated with Schedule II occurrence #4. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS.  |
| 0305             | SCHEDULE II<br>STATE # 5<br>POSTAL<br>ABBREV.<br>g305_s2st5               | N/a | 2 | alphanum. | Optional. Must be the postal abbreviation of the state for the state return associated with Schedule II occurrence #5. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS.  |
| 0305<br>*<br>NEW | CHILD CARE WORKSHEET PROVIDER ADDRESS STATE # 1 POSTAL ABBREV. g305_cpst1 | N/a | 2 | alphanum. | Optional. Line 1, Column (b), the postal abbreviation of the state for the Care Provider address. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed. (Occurrence #1). |
| 0305<br>*<br>NEW | CHILD CARE WORKSHEET PROVIDER ADDRESS STATE # 2 POSTAL ABBREV. g305_cpst2 | N/a | 2 | Alphanum. | Optional. Line 1, Column (b), the postal abbreviation of the state for the Care Provider address. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. (Occurrence #2).  |
| 0305<br>*<br>NEW | CHILD CARE WORKSHEET PROVIDER ADDRESS STATE # 3 POSTAL ABBREV.            | N/a | 2 | Alphanum. | Optional. Line 1, Column (b), the postal abbreviation of the state for the Care Provider address. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. (Occurrence #3).  |

| 0305<br>*<br>NEW        | CHILD CARE WORKSHEET PROVIDER ADDRESS STATE # 4 POSTAL ABBREV. g305_cpst4 | N/a | 2  | Alphanum. | Optional. Line 1, Column (b), the postal abbreviation of the state for the Care Provider address. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. (Occurrence #4). |
|-------------------------|---|-----|----|-----------|--|
| 0305<br>*<br>NEW        | CHILD CARE WORKSHEET PROVIDER ADDRESS STATE # 5 POSTAL ABBREV. g305_cpst5 | N/a | 2  | Alphanum. | Optional. Line 1, Column (b), the postal abbreviation of the state for the Care Provider address. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. (Occurrence #5). |
| 0305<br><b>*</b><br>CHG | FILLER<br>g305_fillr  | N/a | 23 | alphanum. | <b>Not Used</b> . Pos. 58-80 is not used and should equal spaces.  |
|                         |   |     | 80 |           |  |

**FORM 1040N AND 1040NS** ALPHANUMERIC SECTION **ALPHANUMERIC FIELD 3** IRS FIELD NAME **FORM** LEN ALLOW. **DEFINITION / EDITS** SEQ. LINE CHAR. NO. PROVIDER # 1 0310 N/a 9 Optional. SSN or EIN of Alphanum. persons or organizations who FEDERAL ID provided the care. Required if 1040N Line 31. Nebraska Child **NEW** Care Refundable Credit is claimed. g310\_cpid1 0310 9 PROVIDER # 2 N/a Alphanum. Optional. SSN or EIN of FEDERAL ID persons or organizations who provided the care. **NEW** g310\_cpid2 PROVIDER # 3 Optional. SSN or EIN of 0310 N/a 9 Alphanum. FEDERAL ID persons or organizations who provided the care. **NEW** g310\_cpid3 0310 PROVIDER # 4 N/a Alphanum. Optional. SSN or EIN of 9 FEDERAL ID persons or organizations who provided the care. **NEW** g310\_cpid4

| 0310 <b>*</b> NEW    | PROVIDER # 5<br>FEDERAL ID<br>g310_cpid5             | N/a | 9 | Alphanum. | Optional. SSN or EIN of persons or organizations who provided the care.  |
|----------------------|--|-----|---|-----------|--|
| 0310 <b>*</b> NEW    | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 1<br>FEDERAL ID<br>g310_qpid1 | N/a | 9 | Alphanum. | Optional. SSN of Qualifying Person. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed. |
| 0310 <b>*</b> NEW    | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 2<br>FEDERAL ID<br>g310_qpid2 | N/a | 9 | Alphanum. | Optional. SSN of Qualifying Person.  |
| 0310<br><b>* NEW</b> | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 3<br>FEDERAL ID<br>g310_qpid3 | N/a | 9 | Alphanum. | Optional. SSN of Qualifying Person.  |
| 0310<br>*<br>NEW     | Not Used g310_fillr                                  | N/a | 8 | Alphanum. | Not Used. Blank.   |

|                    | FORM 1040N AND 1040NS ALPHANUMERIC SECTION ALPHANUMERIC FIELD 4 |              |     |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--------------|-----|-----------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0315<br>*          | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 4<br>FEDERAL ID                          | N/a          | 9   | Alphanum.       | Optional. SSN of Qualifying Person.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NEW                | g315_qpid4  |              |     |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0315<br>*          | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 5<br>FEDERAL ID                          | N/a          | 9   | Alphanum.       | Optional. SSN of Qualifying Person.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NEW                | g315_qpid5  |              |     |                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0315<br>*          | PROVIDER # 1<br>NAME  | N/a          | 25  | Alphanum.       | Optional. Name of persons or organizations who provided the care. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NEW                | g315_pnam1  |              |     |                 | Refundable Credit is claimed.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

| 0315 | PROVIDER # 2 | N/a | 25 | Alphanum. | Optional. Name of persons or   |
|------|--------------|-----|----|-----------|--------------------------------|
| *    | NAME         |     |    |           | organizations who provided the |
|      |              |     |    |           | care.                          |
| NEW  | g315_pnam2   |     |    |           |                                |
| 0315 | FILLER       | N/a | 12 | Alphanum. | Not Used. Blank.               |
| *    |              |     |    |           |                                |
| CHG  | g315_fillr   |     |    |           |                                |

|                    | FORM 1040N AND 1040NS ALPHANUMERIC SECTION ALPHANUMERIC FIELD 5 |              |     |                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--------------|-----|-----------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0320<br>*          | PROVIDER # 3<br>NAME  | N/a          | 25  | Alphanum.       | <b>Optional</b> . Name of persons or organizations who provided the care. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| NEW                | g320_pnam3  |              |     |                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0320<br>*<br>NEW   | PROVIDER # 4<br>NAME<br>g320_pnam4                              | N/a          | 25  | Alphanum.       | <b>Optional</b> . Name of persons or organizations who provided the care. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0320<br>*<br>NEW   | PROVIDER # 5<br>NAME<br>g320_pnam5                              | N/a          | 25  | Alphanum.       | <b>Optional</b> . Name of persons or organizations who provided the care. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0320               | FILLER<br>g320_fillr  | N/a          | 5   | Alphanum.       | Not Used. Blank.  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

|  | FORM 1040N AND 1040NS ALPHANUMERIC SECTION  ALPHANUMERIC FIELD 6 |     |    |           |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|-----|----|-----------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| IRS FIELD NAME FORM LEN ALLOW. CHAR. NO. |  |     |    |           |   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0325<br>*                                | PROVIDER # 1<br>ADDRESS CITY                                     | N/a | 20 | Alphanum. | Optional. Address city of persons or organizations who provided the care. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child |  |  |  |  |  |
| NEW                                      | g325_pcty1   |     |    |           | Care Refundable Credit is claimed.  |  |  |  |  |  |

| 0325<br>*        | PROVIDER # 2<br>ADDRESS CITY<br>g325_pcty2 | N/a | 20 | Alphanum. | Optional. Address city of persons or organizations who provided the care.         |
|------------------|--|-----|----|-----------|---|
| 0325<br>*<br>NEW | PROVIDER # 3<br>ADDRESS CITY<br>g325_pcty3 | N/a | 20 | Alphanum. | Optional. Address city of persons or organizations who provided the care.         |
| 0325<br>*<br>NEW | PROVIDER # 4<br>ADDRESS CITY<br>g325_pcty4 | N/a | 20 | Alphanum. | <b>Optional</b> . Address city of persons or organizations who provided the care. |

| FORM 1040N AND 1040NS ALPHANUMERIC SECTION  ALPHANUMERIC FIELD 7 |  |              |     |                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--------------|-----|-----------------|---|--|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO.   | FIELD NAME                                 | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0330<br>*<br>NEW   | PROVIDER # 5<br>ADDRESS CITY<br>g330_pcty5 | N/a          | 20  | Alphanum.       | <b>Optional</b> . Address city of persons or organizations who provided the care.   |  |  |  |  |  |
| 0330<br>*<br>CHG   | ORIGINATOR<br>E-MAIL<br>ADDRESS            | N/a          | 60  | alphanum.       | Optional. If a practitioner return, this is the e-mail address of the ERO. If an Online return, this is the e-mail address of the taxpayer. Note to Online developers: Though optional, it is strongly recommend that your software capture this information in the event that the state must contact them about errors on the return. The location of this field was previously in |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | g330_email                                 |              | 90  |                 | Sequence # 0320.  |  |  |  |  |  |

| FORM 1040N AND 1040NS<br>SIGNED NUMERIC SECTION: |            |              |     |                 |                    |  |  |  |  |
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| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO.                               | FIELD NAME | FORM<br>LINE | LEN | ALLOW.<br>CHAR. | DEFINITION / EDITS |  |  |  |  |

| 0350 | STANDARD                  | 6                     | 12 | num. 0-9 | Required (unless Special  |
|------|---------------------------|-----------------------|----|----------|---|
|      | DEDUCTION                 | 4<br>(Form<br>1040NS) |    | (+ only) | Instructions Box = '1', or Filing Status = 3 and one of the two spouses are itemizing). NOTE: |
|      |                           | ,                     |    |          | Nebraska has decoupled from   |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | federal standard deduction amounts. For new Nebraska  |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | Standard Deduction values,  |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | see Appendix H (or the What's New for Tax Year 2005 section                                   |
|      | a250 otdod                |                       |    |          | at the beginning of this document.  |
| 0355 | g350_stded<br>FEDERAL     | 7                     | 12 | num. 0-9 | Required if deductions itemized.  |
|      | TOTAL<br>ITEMIZED         |                       |    | (+ only) | (Unless Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form                                |
|      | DEDUCTIONS                |                       |    |          | 1040NS. NOTE: The only time   |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | the value from 1040 <mark>line 40</mark><br>should be placed in Nebraska                      |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | 1040N line 7 is when the  |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | federal line 40 is an itemized amount. Federal standard                                       |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | deduction should not be   |
|      | g355_tided                |                       |    |          | reported on Nebraska 1040N<br>line 7.   |
| 0360 | STATE AND<br>LOCAL INCOME | 8                     | 12 | num. 0-9 | Required if deductions  |
|      | TAXES                     |                       |    | (+ only) | itemized, the taxpayer has a value greater than zero in                                       |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | Schedule A Line 5, and has checked the 5a box; (unless  |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | Special Instructions Box = '1').  |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | Must be blank if not itemizing, or if itemizing and there is no value                         |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | in Schedule A Line 5, or if   |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | itemizing and a value is present in Line 5 but the 5b box is                                  |
|      | 000 111                   |                       |    |          | checked. Blank if it is a Form  |
| 0365 | g360_slitx<br>NEBRASKA    | 9                     | 12 | num. 0-9 | 1040NS.  Required (unless Special   |
|      | ITEMIZED                  |                       |    | (+ only) | Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it  |
|      | DEDUCTIONS                |                       |    |          | is a Form 1040NS. If calculated amount for this line is negative                              |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | move a zero to this field. Must   |
|      | g365_nided                |                       |    |          | equal 1040N Line 7, minus Line 8.   |
| 0370 | NEBRASKA                  | 10                    | 12 | num. 0-9 | Required (unless Special  |
|      | DEDUCTIONS                |                       |    | (+ only) | Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. Must equal                             |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | 1040N Standard Deduction (Line 6) or Nebraska Itemized  |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | Deductions (Line 9) whichever is  |
| 0375 | g370_neded<br>NEBRASKA    | 11                    | 12 | num. 0-9 | greater.  Required (unless Special  |
| 03/3 | INCOME                    | ' '                   | 14 | (+ only) | Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it  |
|      | BEFORE<br>ADJUSTMENTS     |                       |    |          | is a Form 1040NS. Must equal 1040N Line 5, minus Line 10                                      |
|      |                           |                       |    |          | 10-TOIN LINE J, IIIIIUS LINE IU   |
|      | g375_nibad                |                       |    |          |   |

| 0380 | ADJUSTMENTS<br>INCREASING<br>FEDERAL AGI<br>g380_adjin | 12   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. If Schedule Indicator equals '1', '4', or '5', must equal value of Schedule I, Line 46. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS.  |
|------|--|--|----|----------------------|---|
| 0385 | ADJUSTMENTS<br>DECREASING<br>FEDERAL AGI<br>g385_adjde | 13   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. If Schedule Indicator equals '1', '4', or '5', must equal value of Schedule I, Line 54. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS.  |
| 0390 | NEBRASKA TAX<br>TABLE INCOME                           | 14<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>6<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Required (unless Special Instructions Box = '1').  Form 1040N: This equals Lines 11 (Nebraska income before adjustments), plus Line 12 Adjustments increasing AGI), minus Line 13 (Adjustments decreasing AGI).  Form 1040NS: This equals Line 3 (AGI) minus Line 4.  |
|      | g390_nttin   |  |    |                      | If less than zero, enter zero.  |
| 0395 | NEBRASKA<br>INCOME TAX                                 | 15<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>7<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Required (unless Special Instructions Box = '1'). See the Nebraska Tax Table for appropriate values or calculation. If a Form 1040N and AGI exceeds certain limits, then the calculation for this field is a two part routine since additional tax may be owed by those taxpayers who exceed certain AGI levels.                        |
| 0400 | NEBRASKA<br>MINIMUM OR<br>OTHER TAX                    | 16   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. If present, must equal the subtotal from the Nebraska Minimum or Other Tax Worksheet multiplied by 29.6%. If a nonresident or partial year resident return (Seq. # 0305 Type of Return = '2' or '3') then this must also equal Schedule III Line 68. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1'). |
| 0405 | TOTAL<br>NEBRASKA TAX<br>g405_tntax                    | 17   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Required (unless Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. Must equal 1040N Lines 15 plus Line 16.   |

| 0410<br>*<br>CHG | NEBRASKA PERSONAL EXEMPTION CREDIT               | 19<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>8<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Required (unless Special Instructions Box = '1'). See the Personal Exemption Credit Table in Appendix G to determine exemption credit value. If a Non-resident or a Part Year Resident, return, enter blanks in this line and place the credit value in Line 65 of Schedule III. The base value for tax year 2005 has changed from \$101 to \$103 per exemption claimed on 1040N Line 4 or 1040NS Line 5. This value can be phased out for higher income levels reported on Form 1040N.  Nebraska personal exemption credit is a non-refundable credit and cannot exceed Nebraska tax. |
|------------------|--|--|----|----------------------|--|
| 0415             | CREDIT PAID<br>TO ANOTHER<br>STATE<br>g415_crpas | 20   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. If present and Special Instructions Box = '0', Nebraska Schedule II fields must not all be blank and Schedule Indicator must equal '2' or '4'.  |
| 0420             | CREDIT FOR<br>ELDERLY OR<br>DISABLED             | 21   | 12 | num. 0-9             | Optional. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. Can only be claimed if Type of Return = '1' (resident) or '2' (part year resident). If a part year resident, enter blanks in this line and place the credit value in Line 64of Schedule III.  |
| 0425             | CDAA CREDIT g425_crcda                           | 22   | 12 | blanks               | Not Used.  |
| 0430             | FORM 3800N NON- REFUNDABLE CREDIT g430_c3800     | 23   | 12 | blanks               | Not Used.  |
| 0435             | NEBRASKA<br>FORM 829N<br>CREDIT<br>g435_829cr    | 24   | 12 | blanks               | Not Used.  |

| 0440              | DEPENDENT/ CHILD CARE NON REFUNDABLE CREDIT                     | 25  | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. See tax booklet instructions. Enter only if Type of Return = '1' (resident) or '2' (part year resident). If part-yr resident, enter 0 in this line and place the credit value in Line 64 of Schedule III. If present here, Line 31 (Seq. # 0470) must be blank.         |
|-------------------|---|---|----|----------------------|--|
| 0445              | TOTAL NON-<br>REFUNDABLE<br>CREDITS                             | 26  | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1'). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. If Form 1040N, this equals the sum of Lines 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, and 25. This calculated sum cannot exceed the Total Nebraska Tax (1040N Line 17).   |
| 0450              | NEBRASKA TAX<br>NET NON<br>REFUNDABLE<br>CREDITS                | 27<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>9<br>(Form<br>1040NS)  | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. (Blank if Special Instructions Box = '1').  Form 1040N: Equals the sum of the calculation for Line 1040N 26 subtracted from calculated 1040N Line 17.  Form 1040NS: Equals the result of subtracting 1040NS Line 8 from 1040NS Line 7. If Line 8 is greater than Line 7, set to blanks.  If result is less than zero, move blanks to this field. |
| 0455              | NEBRASKA<br>INCOME TAX<br>WITHHELD<br>g455_niwth                | 28<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>10<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Calculated total from Forms W-2 and 1099.  |
| 0460              | 2005 ESTIMATED TAX PAYMENTS g460_est                            | 29  | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. ). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. Sum of installment payments made for 2005 plus any tax year 2004 overpayment that was applied to tax year 2005 estimated tax. See Tax Booklet instructions.   |
| 0465 <b>*</b> NEW | FORM 3800N REFUNDABLE CREDIT (Replaces 4136N Credit) G465_incnt | 30  | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Not Used.  |

| 0470 | NEBRASKA<br>CHILD CARE<br>REFUNDABLE<br>CREDIT    | 31  | 12  | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. ). Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. If present, Line 25 (Seq # 0440) must be blank. Reference the table in Appendix G.  If this credit is claimed, values from federal Form 2441 (if a 1040 filer) or Schedule 2 (if a 1040A filer) must be provided in the Refundable Child Care Credit Worksheet in this Generic Record layout.   |
|------|---|---|-----|----------------------|--|
| 0475 | BEGINNING<br>FARMER<br>CREDIT<br>g475_frmcr       | 32  | 12  | num, 0-9<br>(+ only) | Not Used. Set to blanks.   |
| N/A  | TOTAL   | 33  | N/A | N/A                  | Not Used. (This Line is Not Captured. This is shown only to account for the line on the form.)   |
| 0480 | AMOUNT YOU OWE                                    | 34<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>11<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12  | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. ).  Form 1040N: If 1040N Line 27 is greater than the total of Lines 28, 29, 31 and 32 (Line 33), subtract this total (Line 33) from 1040N Line 27and enter the result in this field. If over \$300, a Form 2210N must be filed. If the taxpayer files Form 2210N, add in the amount of penalty here and also enter in Line 99 below.  Form 1040NS: If 1040NS Line 9 is greater than Line 9, subtract 10 from Line 9 and enter the result here. |
| 0485 | OVERPAID g485_ovrpd                               | 35<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>12<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12  | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional.). If the total of Lines 28, 29, 31 and 32 (Line 33) is greater than Line 27, subtract Line 27 from this total (Line 33) and enter the result in this field.  |
| 0490 | APPLIED TO<br>2006<br>ESTIMATED TAX<br>g490_apest | 36<br>(Form<br>1040N)                           | 12  | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional.) Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. Must not exceed OVERPAID (1040N Line 35).   |

| 0495 | NONGAME  | 37  | 12 | num. 0-9             | Optional.   |
|------|--|---|----|----------------------|---|
|      | ENDANGERED<br>SPECIES<br>DONATION                    | (Form<br>1040N)<br>13<br>(Form<br>1040NS)       |    | (+ only)             | Form 1040N: If present, must be greater than \$1.00 but not exceed OVERPAID (Line 35) minus Line 36.  |
|      | G495_spdon   |   |    |                      | Form 1040NS: If present, must be greater than \$1.00 but not exceed OVERPAID (Line 12).   |
| 0500 | ELECTION<br>CAMPAIGN<br>FUND<br>CONTRIBUTION         | 38<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>14<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional.  Form 1040N: If present, must be greater than \$1.00, but not exceed OVERPAID (Line 35) minus the sum of Lines 36 and 37.  Form 1040NS: If present, must be greater than \$1.00 but not exceed OVERPAID (Line 12)   |
| 0505 | G500_eccon   | 00  | 40 | 0.0                  | minus Line 13.  |
| 0505 | NEBRASKA<br>STATE FAIR<br>FOUNDATION<br>CONTRIBUTION | 39<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>15<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional.  Form 1040N: If present, must be greater than \$1.00, but not exceed OVERPAID (Line 35) minus the sum of Lines 36, 37 and 38.  Form 1040NS: If present, must  |
|      | G505_sfair   |   |    |                      | be greater than \$1.00 but not exceed OVERPAID (Line 12) minus the sum of Lines 13 and 14.  |
| 0510 | REFUND   | 40<br>(Form<br>1040N)<br>16<br>(Form<br>1040NS) | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional.  Form 1040N: Calculate the sum of Lines 36, 37, 38, and 39 and subtract this sum from the value of OVERPAID (Line 35). Move the result into this field.  Form 1040NS: If present, must be greater than \$1.00 but not exceed OVERPAID (Line 12) minus the sum of Lines 13, 14 |
|      | g510_rfund   |   |    |                      | and 15.   |

| 0515 | FORM 2210N<br>PENALTY<br>AMOUNT<br>INCLUDED IN<br>1040N LINE 33 | 99 | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Blank if it is a Form 1040NS. If 1040N Line 27, (Nebraska Tax Net Nonrefundable Credits) is more than total payments reported on Line 33 (sum of Lines 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32) by \$300 or more, and the difference is more than 10% of the Line 27 amount, a penalty may be due. Or if estimated tax for any period is underpaid, a penalty may be due. If a Form 2210N should be filed, enter the penalty amount here. (Filing |
|------|---|----|----|----------------------|---|
|      | g515_2210p  |    |    |                      | 2210N should be filed, enter the  |

### **FORM 1040N SIGNED NUMERIC SECTION**

### NEBRASKA SCHEDULE I ADJUSTMENTS TO INCOME

| This is blank if the base form is Form 1040NS. |   |              |      |                              |   |  |  |  |
|--|---|--------------|------|------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO.                             | FIELD NAME  | FORM<br>LINE | LEN. | ALLOW.<br>CHAR.              | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |
| 0520   | ADJUSTMENTS<br>INCREASING<br>INCOME<br>g520_s1l42                     | 42           | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only)         | Optional. PART A: Result of Line 42a (total interest income from all state and local municipal bonds) exempt from federal tax; minus Line 42b (exempt interest income from Nebraska obligations). |  |  |  |
| 0525   | SPECIAL<br>FEDERAL<br>BONUS<br>DEPRECIATION<br>ADD BACK<br>g525_s1I43 | 43           | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only <b>)</b> | Optional. PART A: AGI is increased by 85% of any amount of bonus depreciation received under the Job Creation and Worker Assistance Act of 2002.  |  |  |  |
| 0530   | SECTION 179 DEPRECIATION EXPENSE ADD BACK G530_s1l44                  | 44           | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only <b>)</b> | Optional. PART A: This is used to add back 100% of any enhanced Sec. 179 asset expensing deduction.   |  |  |  |
| 0535   | OTHER ADJUSTMENTS INCREASING INCOME g535_s1l45                        | 45           | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only)         | Optional. PART A: Allowable other adjustments increasing Federal AGI. See tax booklet instructions for allowable adjustments.   |  |  |  |

| 0540             | TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS INCREASING INCOME                               | 46        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART A: Sum of<br>Lines 42, 43, 44 and 45. Must<br>equal Seq# 0380, Adjustments<br>Increasing Federal AGI (Line<br>12).  |
|------------------|---|-----------|----|----------------------|--|
| 0545             | STATE INCOME<br>TAX REFUND<br>DEDUCTION<br>g545_s1l47             | 47        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART B: Line 10 from federal 1040. Cannot be the only significant value on Schedule I Part B. (See instructions for Line 13.)  |
| <b>0550</b>      | INCOME FROM<br>U.S.<br>GOVERNMENT<br>OBLIGATIONS<br>g550_s1l48    | 48        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART B: Interest and dividend income from U.S. government obligations. Sum of the amounts from Lines 48a (interest and dividend income from U.S. obligations) and 48b (regulated investment company dividends). See the Nebraska Tax Booklet for a complete list of allowable sources. |
| 0555             | TIER I OR TIER II BENEFITS g555_s1l49                             | 49        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART B: This is the total amount of Taxable Tier I and Tier II benefits paid by the Railroad Retirement Board. (Appropriate 1099's must be included with the federal record).  |
| 0560             | SPECIAL<br>CAPITAL GAINS<br>ELECTION<br>g560_s1l50                | 50        | 12 | blanks               | Not Used. PART B: Not allowed in e-file.   |
| 0565             | NEBRASKA COLLEGE SAVINGS PLAN CONTRIBUTION OR DONATION g565_s1l51 | 51        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART B: Nebraska<br>College Savings Plan.  |
| 0570<br>*<br>NEW | BONUS DEPRECIATION SUBTRACTION (RECOVERY)                         | <b>52</b> | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART B: Nebraska Bonus Depreciation Recovery for tax years 2000, 2001, and/or 2002. ** See the "What's New section of these specifications for details or contact the department with questions **   |

| 0575 | OTHER ADJUSTMENTS DECREASING TAXABLE INCOME    | 53 | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART B: Other allowable adjustments decreasing federal AGI. (See tax booklet instructions.) If present, corresponding values must be present in the Line 52 Other Adjustments Worksheet defining the allowable deductions. If this line is claimed, then at least one of these six values must be present and total to equal this line. |
|------|--|----|----|----------------------|---|
| 0580 | TOTAL ADJUSTMENTS DECREASING INCOME g580_s1l54 | 54 | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. PART B: Sum of Lines 47 through 53. Must equal Field 0385, Adjustments Decreasing Federal AGI (Line 13): Note: This cannot be a negative value.   |

### FORM 1040N SIGNED NUMERIC SECTION

### NEBRASKA SCHEDULE III COMPUTATION OF NEBRASKA TAX FOR NON-RESIDENTS AND PARTIAL YEAR RESIDENTS

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| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME   | FORM<br>LINE | LEN. | ALLOW.<br>CHAR.      | DEFINITION / EDITS   |
|--------------------|--|--------------|------|----------------------|--|
| 0585               | INCOME DERIVED FROM NEBRASKA SOURCES g585_s3l60      | 60           | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ or -) | Optional. Total Income from<br>Nebraska sources. If income,<br>this is a positive value. If a<br>loss, it is a negative value.<br>(See tax booklet instructions.)  |
| 0590               | ADJUSTMENTS AS APPLIED TO NEBRASKA INCOME g590_s3l61 | 61           | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ or -) | Optional. Adjustments reported on federal 1040 that apply to income from Nebraska sources. Must be consistent with federal return.   |
| 0595               | NEBRASKA<br>ADJUSTED<br>GROSS INCOME<br>g595_s3l62   | 62           | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ or -) | Optional. Must equal Line 60 minus Line 61.  |
| 0600               | RATIO-<br>NEBRASKA'S<br>SHARE OF THE<br>TOTAL INCOME | <b>63</b>    | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Nebraska's share of the total income. Compute this as Line 62 divided by the result of 1040N Line 5, plus 1040N Line 12, minus 1040N Line 13. Calculate to 5 decimals. If < 100%, round to 4. Do not insert a decimal point. |

| 0605        | TAX TABLE<br>INCOME (LINE<br>14)<br>g605_s3l64 | 64        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Must equal 1040N<br>Line 14 amount.   |
|-------------|--|-----------|----|----------------------|---|
| 0610        | NET TAX FROM<br>TAX TABLE<br>INCOME            | <b>65</b> | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Computed as the tax from Nebraska Tax Table on the Line 64 income, plus any additional tax from the Additional Tax Rate Schedule, minus credits. (Carefully follow tax booklet for formula and instructions.)   |
| 0615<br>CHG | PERSONAL<br>EXEMPTION<br>CREDIT                | <b>66</b> | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. If used, must equal 1040N Line 19. Should not exceed personal exemption credit from Personal Exemption Credit Table (see Personal Exemption Credit Table in Appendix G) multiplied by line 4. The base value has changed from \$101 to \$103 per exemption claimed on 1040N Line 4. (See tax booklet instructions.) |
| 0620        | DIFFERENCE<br>g620_s3l67                       | 67        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Must equal Line 65 minus Line 66. If less than zero, set to zero.   |
| 0625        | CALCULATED NEBRASKA INCOME TAX g625_s3l68      | 68        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | <b>Optional</b> . Multiply Line 67 by the ratio from Line 63. This must equal 1040N Line 15.  |
| 0630        | MINIMUM AND<br>OTHER TAXES<br>g630_s3l69       | 69        | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. If present, must equal Line 16 of Form 1040N and equal the result of the multiplication of the Worksheet Subtotal by 29.6%.   |

### FORM 1040N SIGNED NUMERIC SECTION

### NEBRASKA SCHEDULE II CREDIT FOR TAX PAID TO ANOTHER STATE (5 OCCURRENCES ALLOWED)

### This is blank if the base form is Form 1040NS.

| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME   | FORM<br>LINE | LEN. | ALLOW.<br>CHAR.      | DEFINITION / EDITS  |
|--------------------|--|--------------|------|----------------------|---|
| 0635               | STATE # 1:<br>NEBRASKA<br>INCOME TAX<br>g635_s2l55 | 55-1         | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Must equal 1040N Line 17. If any schedule II fields are present, must be greater than zero. |

| 0640 | STATE # 1:<br>AGI DERIVED<br>FROM<br>ANOTHER<br>STATE        | 56-1              | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Adjusted Gross Income derived from another state, not including taxable income from the other state. If any schedule II fields are present, this field must be greater than zero.   |
|------|--|-------------------|----|----------------------|---|
| 0645 | STATE # 1:<br>CALCULATED<br>TAX CREDIT                       | 57-1              | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Compute Line 56 divided by the result of 1040N Line 5 plus 1040N Line 12 minus 1040N Line 13. Multiply this by 1040N Line 55 to give Line 57. If any schedule II fields are present, this field must be greater than zero.  |
| 0650 | STATE # 1: TAX<br>DUE & PAID TO<br>ANOTHER ST.<br>g650_s2l58 | <b>58-1</b>       | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Tax due & paid to another state, (not including amount withheld for the other state). If any schedule II fields are present, this field must be greater than zero.  |
| 0655 | STATE # 1:<br>MAXIMUM TAX<br>CREDIT<br>g655_s2l59            | 59-1              | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Maximum tax credit; Which ever is least of Lines 55, 57 or 58. Sum of all occurrences of Schedule II Line 59 must = 1040N Line 20 unless the Seq. # 0305 Credit for Prior Year Minimum Tax Indicator is checked. If any schedule II fields are present, this field must be greater than zero. |
| 0660 | STATE # 2<br>g660_s2l55                                      | 55-2              | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Same as Line 55 definition/edits for State # 1 above.   |
| 0665 | STATE # 2<br>g665_s2l56                                      | <del>56-2</del>   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Same as Line 56 definition/edits for State # 1 above.   |
| 0670 | STATE # 2<br>G670_s2l57                                      | <del>57-2</del>   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Same as Line 57 definition/edits for State # 1 above.   |
| 0675 | STATE # 2<br>G675_s2l58                                      | 58-2              | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Same as Line 58 definition/edits for State # 1 above.   |
| 0680 | STATE # 2<br>G680_s2l59                                      | <del>59-2</del>   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Same as Line 59 definition/edits for State # 1 above.   |
| 0685 | STATE # 3<br>G685_s2l55                                      | <del>55-3</del>   | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Same as Line 55 definition/edits for State # 1 above.   |
| 0690 | STATE # 3<br>G690_s2l56                                      | <mark>56-3</mark> | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Same as Line 56 definition/edits for State # 1 above.   |

| G695_s2l57   | ine <mark>57</mark><br>ate # 1 |
|--|--------------------------------|
| (+ only)   definition/edits for State   def   |                                |
| 0705         STATE # 3         59-3         12         num. 0-9 (+ only)         Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.           0710         STATE # 4         55-4         12         num. 0-9 (+ only)         Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.           0715         STATE # 4         56-4         12         num. 0-9 (+ only)         Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.           0720         STATE # 4         57-4         12         num. 0-9 (+ only)         Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.           0720         STATE # 4         57-4         12         num. 0-9 (+ only)         Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.   |                                |
| g705_s2l59  O710 STATE # 4  O715 STATE # 4  O716 STATE # 4  O717 STATE # 4  O718 STATE # 4  O719 STATE # 4  O719 STATE # 4  O719 STATE # 4  O710 STATE # 4  O7 |                                |
| 0710STATE # 455-412num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta<br>above.0715STATE # 456-412num. 0-9<br>  |                                |
| g710_s2l55  O715 STATE # 4  g715_s2l56  O720 STATE # 4  g720_s2l57  (+ only) definition/edits for State above.  Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.  Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.  Optional. Same as L definition/edits for State above.  |                                |
| 0715STATE # 456-412num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta<br>above.0720STATE # 457-412num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta<br>above.   |                                |
| g715_s2l56   | ino <b>EC</b>                  |
| 0720STATE # 457-412num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta<br>above.   |                                |
| g720_s2l57 (+ only) definition/edits for State   | ina E7                         |
|  |                                |
| 0725   STATE # 4   58-4   12   num. 0-9   Optional. Same as L  |                                |
| (+ only) definition/edits for Sta  |                                |
| g725_s2l58 above.  | <mark>E0</mark>                |
| 0730STATE # 459-412num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta   |                                |
| g730_s2l59 above.  |                                |
| 0735STATE # 555-512num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta   |                                |
| g735_s2l55 above.  |                                |
| 0740STATE # 556-512num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta<br>above.   |                                |
| 3 ==   | i <b>F7</b>                    |
| 0745STATE # 557-512num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta   |                                |
| g745_s2l57 above.  |                                |
| 0750STATE # 558-512num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta   |                                |
| g750_s2l58 above.  |                                |
| 0755STATE # 559-512num. 0-9<br>(+ only)Optional. Same as L<br>definition/edits for Sta<br>above.   |                                |

| FORM 1040N<br>SIGNED NUMERIC SECTION |  |      |  |       |  |  |
|--------------------------------------|--|------|--|-------|--|--|
|                                      | NEBRASKA MINIMUM OR OTHER TAX WORKSHEET            |      |  |       |  |  |
|                                      | This is blank if the base form is Form 1040NS.     |      |  |       |  |  |
| IRS                                  | IRS FIELD NAME FORM LEN. ALLOW. DEFINITION / EDITS |      |  |       |  |  |
| SEQ.                                 |  | LINE |  | CHAR. |  |  |
| NO.                                  |  |      |  |       |  |  |

| 0760 | RECALC.<br>ALTERNATIVE<br>MINIMUM TAX             | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Alternative Minimum Tax from federal Form 6251. This form must be recalculated for Nebraska purposes using a Nebraska Revenue Ruling: Individual Income Tax- Computation of Alternative Minimum Tax to Determine Nebraska Minimum Tax for the Nebraska Return. See at:                      |
|------|---|-----|----|----------------------|---|
|      | g760_motx1  |     |    |                      | http://www.revenue.state.ne.us/legal/inctax.htm   |
| 0765 | TAX ON LUMP<br>SUM<br>DISTRIBUTIONS<br>g765_motx2 | n/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Tax on lump-sum distributions (enter federal tax amount from federal Form 4972.   |
| 0770 | TAX ON EARLY DISTRIBUTIONS  G770_motx3            | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Tax on early distributions (enter lesser of federal tax amount from Part I of federal Form 5329 or Federal Form 1040.   |
| 0775 | SUBTOTAL  G775_motx4                              | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Sum Sequence Numbers 0755, 0760, and 0765. Multiply this subtotal by 29.6% and place result in 1040N line 16 for resident returns (Seq # 0305 Type of Return = '1'); or in Schedule III Line 69 for nonresidents or partial year resident returns (Seq # 0305 Type of Return = '2' or '3'). |

#### **FORM 1040N SIGNED NUMERIC SECTION** SCHEDULE I LINE 53 OTHER ADJUSTMENTS WORKSHEET This is blank if the base form is Form 1040NS. FORM ALLOW. IRS FIELD NAME LEN. **DEFINITION / EDITS** SEQ. LINE CHAR. NO. **Optional**. Sum of Sequence Numbers 0780 - 0805 must LINE <mark>53</mark>A: N/a 12 num. 0-9 0780 CLAIM OF (+ only) **RIGHT OF** equal 1040N Schedule I Line 53. **REPAYMENT** UNDER SECTION 1341 G780\_In53a

| 0785 | LINE 53B: NON- NEBRASKA S CORP. OR LIMITED LIAB. COMPANY INCOME  G785_In53b     | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Sum of Sequence<br>Numbers 0780 - 0810 must<br>equal 1040N Schedule I Line 53. |
|------|---|-----|----|----------------------|--|
| 0790 | LINE 53C: NATIVE AMERICAN INCOME DERIVED FROM NE. INDIAN RESERVATION G790_In53c | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Sum of Sequence<br>Numbers 0780 - 0810 must<br>equal 1040N Schedule I Line 53. |
| 0795 | LINE 53D:<br>NE. NET<br>OPERATING<br>LOSS CARRY<br>FORWARD                      | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Sum of Sequence<br>Numbers 0780 - 0810 must<br>equal 1040N Schedule I Line 53. |
| 0800 | LINE 53E: AG REVENUE BONDS ISSUED BY NE STATE BOARD OF AG. G800_In53e           | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Sum of Sequence<br>Numbers 0780 - 0810 must<br>equal 1040N Schedule I Line 53. |
| 0805 | LINE <mark>53</mark> F:<br>NIFA BONDS<br>g805_ln53f                             | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Sum of Sequence<br>Numbers 0780 - 0810 must<br>equal 1040N Schedule I Line 53. |

| 0810 | LINE <mark>53</mark> G:<br>NONRESIDENT<br>MILATARY<br>COMP. | n/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Sum of Sequence Numbers 0780 - 0810 must equal 1040N Schedule I Line 53. This field is used to report a deduction for the Soldiers and Sailors Relief Act deduction. If reported, these additional   |
|------|---|-----|----|----------------------|--|
|      | g810_ln53g  |     |    |                      | Box b, Employer Id     Number in the federal     Form W-2 must be     consistent with one     indicating active military     pay.     Box 15, State identifier in     the federal Form W-2     must indicate that the     withholding is for a state     other than 'NE'     (Nebraska). |

### FORM 1040N SIGNED NUMERIC SECTION

### 1040N LINE 31 REFUNDABLE CHILD CARE CREDIT WORKSHEET

### This is blank if the base form is Form 1040NS.

|                    | This is blank if the base form is Form 1040N5.          |              |      |                      |   |  |  |  |
|--------------------|---|--------------|------|----------------------|---|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ.<br>NO. | FIELD NAME  | FORM<br>LINE | LEN. | ALLOW.<br>CHAR.      | DEFINITION / EDITS  |  |  |  |
| 0815               | LINE 3 FROM<br>FORM 2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2<br>g815_24413 | n/a          | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Line 3, Qualified Expenses. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed.            |  |  |  |
| 0820               | LINE 6 FROM<br>FORM 2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2<br>g820_24416 | n/a          | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Line 6, Smaller of Lines 3, 4 or 5. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed.    |  |  |  |
| 0825               | LINE 7 FROM<br>FORM 2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2<br>g825_24417 | n/a          | 12   | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Line 7, Amount From Form 1040 line 37. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed. |  |  |  |

| 0830             | LINE 8 FROM<br>FORM 2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2   | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Line 8, Decimal Amount. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed. Report as a 2 position decimal amount as shown on the federal form with leading zeros. Do not insert a decimal point. Example: a decimal value of .27 would be reported as 00000000027b (where b equals a blank space). |
|------------------|---|-----|----|----------------------|--|
| 0835<br>*<br>NEW | PROVIDER #1 AMOUNT PAID FROM FORM 2441 OR SCHEDULE 2 g835_pamt1                             | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part 1, Line 1, Column (d) Amount Paid. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed. (Occurrence #1)   |
| 0840<br>*<br>NEW | PROVIDER # 2<br>AMOUNT PAID<br>FROM FORM<br>2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2<br>g840_pamt2             | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part I, Line 1, Column (d) Amount Paid. (Occurrence #2)  |
| 0845<br>*<br>NEW | PROVIDER # 3 AMOUNT PAID FROM FORM 2441 OR SCHEDULE 2 g845_pamt3                            | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part I, Line 1, Column (d) Amount Paid. (Occurrence #3)  |
| 0850<br>*<br>NEW | PROVIDER # 4 AMOUNT PAID FROM FORM 2441 OR SCHEDULE 2 g850_pamt4                            | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part I, Line 1, Column (d) Amount Paid. (Occurrence #4)  |
| 0855<br>*<br>NEW | PROVIDER # 5 AMOUNT PAID FROM FORM 2441 OR SCHEDULE 2 g855_pamt5                            | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part I, Line 1, Column (d) Amount Paid. (Occurrence #5)  |
| 0860<br>*<br>NEW | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 1<br>AMOUNT PAID<br>FROM FORM<br>2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2<br>g860_qamt1 | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part II, Line 2, Column (c) Qualified Expenses. Required if 1040N Line 31, Nebraska Child Care Refundable Credit is claimed. (Occurrence #1)   |

| 0865<br>*<br>NEW | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 2<br>AMOUNT PAID<br>FROM FORM<br>2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2<br>g865_gamt2 | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part II, Line 2, Column (c) Qualified Expenses. (Occurrence #2) |
|------------------|---|-----|----|----------------------|---|
| 0870<br>*<br>NEW | QUALIFYING PERSON # 3 AMOUNT PAID FROM FORM 2441 OR SCHEDULE 2 g870_qamt3                   | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part II, Line 2, Column (c) Qualified Expenses. (Occurrence #3) |
| 0875<br>*<br>NEW | QUALIFYING PERSON # 4 AMOUNT PAID FROM FORM 2441 OR SCHEDULE 2 g875_qamt4                   | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part II, Line 2, Column (c) Qualified Expenses. (Occurrence #4) |
| NEW              | QUALIFYING<br>PERSON # 5<br>AMOUNT PAID<br>FROM FORM<br>2441 OR<br>SCHEDULE 2<br>g880_qamt5 | N/a | 12 | num. 0-9<br>(+ only) | Optional. Part II, Line 2, Column (c) Qualified Expenses. (Occurrence #5) |

### NUMERIC FIELDS 0885 THROUGH 0925 ARE NOT USED. (108)

| n/a | RECORD<br>TERMINUS | n/a | 1 | alphanum. | Required. Must equal '#'. |
|-----|--------------------|-----|---|-----------|---------------------------|
| •   | •                  |     | 1 |           |                           |

### APPENDIX C NEBRASKA UNFORMATTED RECORD LAYOUT

#### 6.5 UNFORMATTED RECORD (FEDERAL FORMS)

Nebraska uses the unformatted record to capture federal filing information only. This includes the federal return, Form 1040, Form 1040A, or Form 1040EZ, all federal schedules, and withholding documents Forms W-2 and 1099. No Nebraska forms are defined within the unformatted record. Nebraska supports only the variable option for unformatted records. As many as twenty-five unformatted records can accompany a single generic record. Each of the unformatted records consists of 52 positions of header data, up to 4,800 characters comprising IRS documents (60 lines with 80 characters each), plus a record terminus for a maximum of 4,853 positions. If the required federal data requires more space than will fit in the 9 unformatted records, the return is not eligible for electronic filing. The Department will:

- 1. Require the complete federal return, 1040, 1040A (page 1 and 2) or 1040EZ (page 1) be imbedded in the first occurrence of the nine unformatted records (including header).
- 2. Specify that all data in unformatted records be in variable format and that the federal field numbers defined by the IRS be used in the imbedded data.
- 3. Require that if more than one unformatted record is used, that imbedded federal forms are not split between records.
- 4. Store the data in the same method as the IRS, with the data being preceded by the field number. The federal data in the state unformatted records should contain only the symbols and abbreviations allowed in federal records and be identical to the IRS data with the exception of four characters. For these characters, a state record character should be substituted for the corresponding IRS value. The characters are:

| State<br>IRS<br>Character | Substitution<br>Character | ASCII<br>Hex | EBCDIC<br>Hex |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|--------------|---------------|
|                           |                           |              |               |
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| #                         | \$                        | 24           | 5B            |

Nebraska requires federal forms within the Unformatted Record(s) to follow this sequence:

- 1. Form 1040 (or 1040A, or 1040EZ) Page 1
- 2. Form 1040 (or 1040A) Page 2
- 3. Federal forms or schedules transmitted with the federal filing (including Form 2441 and any other federal forms required by the state ).
- 4. Forms W-2
- 5. Forms 1099

|                  | UNFORMATTED RECORD HEADER SECTION |      |           |  |  |  |  |
|------------------|-----------------------------------|------|-----------|--|--|--|--|
| IRS<br>SEQ       | FIELD                             |      | ALLOW.    |  |  |  |  |
| NUM.             | NAME                              | LEN. | CHAR.     | DEFINITION/EDITS   |  |  |  |
| n/a              | BYTE COUNT                        | 4    | num. 0-9  | Always Required. Provides the number of bytes in the record. Use "nnnn" for variable.  |  |  |  |
| n/a              | RECORD START<br>SENTINEL          | 4    | alphanum. | Always Required. Must equal '****'.  |  |  |  |
| 0000             | RECORD IDENTIFICATION             | 6    | alphanum. | Always Required. Set to: 'STbbbb'  |  |  |  |
| 0001             | FORM NUMBER                       | 6    | alphanum. | Always Required. Set to: '0002bb'  |  |  |  |
| 0002             | PAGE NUMBER                       | 5    | alphanum. | Always Required. Set to: 'PG01b'   |  |  |  |
| 0003             | TAXPAYER ID<br>NUMBER             | 9    | numeric   | Always Required. Set to Primary Taxpayer SSN. Must equal the Primary SSN of the IRS ELF return.  |  |  |  |
| 0004             | FILLER                            | 1    | alphanum. | Always Required. Set to space.   |  |  |  |
| 0005             | FORM<br>OCCURRENCE<br>NUMBER      | 7    | numeric   | <b>Always Required.</b> Set to: 0000001 – 00000009   |  |  |  |
| 0010             | STATE CODE                        | 2    | alpha     | Always Required. Must equal 'NE'.  |  |  |  |
| 0011             | CITY CODE                         | 2    | blanks    | Not Used.  |  |  |  |
| 0020<br>*<br>CHG | DECLARATION<br>CONTROL<br>NUMBER  | 14   | alphanum. | Always Required. Must match DCN on Nebraska Form 8453N and in associated Generic Record. Values are:  pos. 1-2 = Value = '00' pos. 3-8 = EFIN of ERO pos. 9-11 = Batch Number; Values '000'-'999' pos. 12-13 = Serial Number; Values '00'-'99' pos. 14 = Year Digit; Value = '6' |  |  |  |

### UNFORMATTED RECORD DATA SECTION

Note: the record headers must be included with the federal forms in the form data.

0050 FORM DATA: (80 positions). Alphanumeric. Line 001

... (Up to 60 lines of data per page can be entered)

0345 FORM DATA: (80 positions). Alphanumeric. Line 060 RECORD TERMINUS: (1 Position). Must equal '#'.

### APPENDIX D NEBRASKA HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT CODES

A file containing Nebraska Public High School District Codes is posted separately on our Developer Page at <a href="http://www.revenue.ne.gov/electron/develop.htm">http://www.revenue.ne.gov/electron/develop.htm</a>. If you need to receive this file in a different format, contact an E-file Coordinator (see Section 2, Contacts) and one will be supplied to you.

### APPENDIX E NEBRASKA TAX TABLE

A file containing the Nebraska Tax Table is posted separately on our Developer Page at http://www.revenue.ne.gov/electron/develop.htm. If you need to receive this file in a different format, contact an E-file Coordinator (see Section 2, Contacts) and one will be supplied to you.

## APPENDIX F MISCELLANEOUS TABLES

A file containing the Nebraska Personal Exemption Credit Table and the Refundable Child Care Credit Table is posted on our Developer Page at http://www.revenue.ne.gov/electron/develop.htm. If you need to receive this file in a different format, contact an E-file Coordinator (see Section 2, Contacts) and one will be supplied to you.

# APPENDIX G STANDARD DEDUCTION CALCULATION-

A document containing worksheets used to calculate the Nebraska Standard Deduction is posted on our Developer Page at http://www.revenue.ne.gov/electron/develop.htm. If you need to receive this file in a different format, contact an E-file Coordinator (see Section 2, Contacts) and one will be supplied to you.

# APPENDIX H NEBRASKA TAX YEAR 2005 ELECTRONIC FILING CALENDAR

| Preliminary specifications available                                  | July/August 2005                |
|---|---------------------------------|
| Preliminary draft of Nebraska tax booklet available                   | October 2005 (approx.)          |
| Final specifications available (including auxiliary files and tables) | October 2005 (approx.)          |
| Begin ERO licensing   | Licensing is no longer required |
| Begin primary testing period  | Same as IRS start date          |
| Begin production processing   | Same as IRS start date          |
| End primary testing period  | Same as IRS dates               |
| Begin scheduled-only testing period                                   |                                 |
| End production processing   | Same as IRS end date            |
| End scheduled-only testing period                                     | September 1, 2006               |

### Tax Year 2005 IRS e-file Calendar

For Tax Period January 1 - December 31, 2005

Transmitting of live IRS Individual Income Tax Returns begins January 13, 2005

#### Last date for...

| April 17, 2006   |
|------------------|
| April 17, 2006   |
| April 20, 2006   |
| April 20, 2006   |
| No cut off date  |
| No cut off date  |
| June 15, 2006    |
|                  |
| June 20, 2006    |
| October 16, 2006 |
| October 20, 2006 |
|                  |